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"TIGER" LIQUOR KILLING TOPERS IN BIG BUNCHES

Fourteen Men and Woman an Dead at Chicopee, Mass.; Four Men Dead at Holyoke, Mass., and Eight at Hartford, Conn.

WOOD ALCOHOL BASE OF THE DEADLY STUFF

And It Was Colored to Look Like Liquor—Police on Trail of Sellers of Stuff and One Arrest Is Made.

Chicopee, Mass., December 26.—Twenty-seven deaths had resulted tonight from the drinking of liquor bought in Hartford, Conn., and drunk in this city, Holyoke and Hartford. Yesterday, last night and today fourteen men and one woman died in Chicopee, eight men in Hartford and four in Holyoke.

A number of other men were in a critical condition tonight at hospitals in Holyoke and Springfield. Four men were under arrest in Hartford and three in Chicopee pending the resulting of autopsies to be held late tonight.

Police investigations in Hartford indicated that the liquor was sent to that city from New York, contained wood alcohol. Part of it was sold at a bar in Hartford, part was bought at that place by persons who carried it away, and part was sent to a hotel in Chicopee Falls. State and federal authorities in Massachusetts and Connecticut were aiding the police of Chicopee, Hartford, Holyoke and Springfield tonight in their efforts to determine responsibility for the deaths.

Later tonight the Chicopee police announced that Alex Perry, proprietor of the American house in Chicopee Falls had not been arrested. It was said he had left the city and a search for him had not revealed his whereabouts. Charles Perry, his brother, was released tonight under $10,000 bond, pending the outcome of the autopsies.

The police and physicians believe there are many more ill as a result of drinking the liquor and have not yet been reported, as the police declared considerable of the liquor was sold in this section.

Although Medical Examiner Fletcher would not state positively that the deaths were due to wood alcohol, it was stated at the hospitals that the cases no doubt were due to this form of alcohol. The victims were affected similarly, most of them becoming paralyzed.

As soon as it was evident that some form of liquor was causing the deaths, all saloons in the valley were ordered to sell no more of it. The American House in Chicopee Falls was closed and a special squad of police detailed to keep guard.

EIGHT DEAD AT HARTFORD.

Hartford, Conn., December 26.—Eight men are dead here from drinking liquor which they thought was whisky. Four are under arrest in connection with the deaths.

Twelve barrels of a mixture presumed to be palatable, but requiring water to lessen its strength, were bought of a New York firm for $12,000, according to statements made to the police. The police opinion is that the liquid has a wood alcohol base and a coloring was added to make it look like whisky.

The liquid was served over the bar of a saloon, the owner of which is under arrest. The authorities are trying to trace other shipments, both to this city and to Holyoke, Mass. The city police are attempting to warn persons who bought the liquid in bottles at the saloon for holiday use.

The first death came yesterday forenoon, another in the afternoon and then with the third in the evening, police attention was called to the likelihood of other deaths. Five occurred during the night. Those who died were of foreign birth.

27 DEATHS IN NEW YORK.

New York, December 26.—Twenty-seven deaths from drinking wood alcohol and several cases of poisoning have occurred in Manhattan

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THANKS ATLANTANS.

Editor Constitution: Again, I request that you permit me, through your columns, to thank the good people of Atlanta who so generously helped us make Christmas enjoyable and pleasant for the wounded soldiers in this hospital.

It was a great day, made so by the bountifulness and good cheer dispensed by these good people, who gave up their own pleasures and came to this hospital to bring happiness and cheer to the wounded soldiers, so unfortunate as to be still away from their homes at this time. I am sure these boys will always have a bright spot in their memories for the good people of Atlanta, for their tender care and consideration. And, on behalf of these wounded soldiers, I wish again to express our very great appreciation for this kindness and thoughtfulness.

Very truly yours,
F. C. BRATTON,
Colonel, Medical Corps,
Commanding.
December 26, 1919.

Play of Nativity To Be Presented This Afternoon

Three Performances of "The Vision" Will Be Given at Auditorium Under Auspices of Atlanta Woman's Club.

Promptly at 3 o'clock this afternoon the curtain at the Auditorium will rise upon the first presentation of "The Vision," the wonderful play of the nativity which is to be shown here under the auspices of the Atlanta Woman's club for three performances. The remaining performances will be given on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Sunday night at 8 o'clock.

Capacity audiences are confidently expected at each performance of this great Chritmas play. Tickets for the Saturday afternoon and Sunday night performances, which are being given away absolutely free at the information booth at Five Points all week, have met with a big demand and that they will all be used is strongly indicated by the deep interest taken in the play by practically all classes of citizens.

There are only a very few tickets for today's performance left, and those desiring to see it are advised to call at the booth at the earliest possible hour this morning, if they wish to attend.

Doors Open at 2.

Doors will be opened at 2 o'clock and admission will be by ticket only until 2:45. At that time, everyone is asked to be seated and ready for the opening of the play, which will begin promptly at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Irving Thomas, president of the Atlanta Woman's club, will be

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REVOLT IN SUDAN FACED BY BRITAIN

Tribesmen Are Attacking the British and More Than Score of Soldiers Have Been Killed.

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Cairo, December 26.—Trouble has broken out in the Sudan. Majors C. H. Sligand, of the West Kent regiment, and R. R. White, of the Essex regiment, and more than a score of soldiers have been killed.

The first attack was made by the Allef tribe upon a British police post near Tombo, but that was repulsed, with twelve killed. Reconnoitering developed that other neighboring desert tribes were implicated and a pursuing party was organized.

The second attack was made late at night by tribesmen upon the British, who repulsed them after severe hand-to-hand fighting. The British losses were seven killed and nine wounded. The British pursued the enemy, who numbered 1,000.

Finally the tribes counter-attacked, the fighting being in thick grass, seven feet high. A skirmish caused the death of the two majors, twenty-two men in the ranks and three carriers. Eighteen men in the ranks and ten carriers were wounded. Again the enemy was driven off and the British column withdrew to the base at Tombo, which they reached after a five-day march. During the withdrawal the tribes made a light attack, which was unsuccessful.

BOY TUMBLES TO HIS DEATH AT XMAS PARTY

Richmond, Va., December 26.—Joseph Jarvis, II., was instantly killed this evening when he plunged from a third floor porch to the pavement below. The lad was participating in a Sunday school Christmas party and while playing games dashed out of the window and over the railing.

Paralyzed with fear, his playmates, who had followed him to the porch, were unable to shout a warning to two pedestrians below. Had they done so, the chances are the boy's life could have been saved.

Mrs. T. C. Irving and her brother, W. C. Burton, were standing on the pavement directly below the porch when the body of the boy crashed to the pavement beside them. Either one could have rescued the lad.

The mother was downtown shopping at the time of the accident, while the father was at his home a half black distant from the scene of the tragedy. Both are prostrated. Coroner Whitfield pronounced the death accidental.

PRESSURE IS PUT ON PARTY LEADERS IN TREATY TANGLE

Senators are Dissatisfied With the Progress Being Made Toward Solution of Trouble.

DEMOCRATS CRITICISE PRESIDENT WILSON

And Also Senator Hitchcock — Alleged Thirty Democrats Are Willing to Ratify on Best Terms They Can Get.

Washington, December 26.—Dissatisfied with the progress made toward solution of the peace treaty tangle, senators of both political parties moved today to bring greater pressure on their party leaders for a compromise to insure ratification promptly on the reassembling of congress early in January.

The mild reservation group of republicans, notifying their party leader, Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, that in their opinion the time had come to part company with the irreconcilable foes of the treaty, declared that unless compromise negotiations got more whole-hearted support from the republican side they were preparing to act independently for an agreement with the democrats.

Democrats Criticise Wilson.

Among the democrats the movement was not so well defined, but criticism of the course of President Wilson and Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, the acting democratic leader, reached proportions where some predicted that it would soon be given tangible form. One prominent democratic senator was said to have told the republicans that more than thirty of the forty-seven on that side would join a movement to ratify the treaty at once on the best terms they could get.

The effect was a scrambled situation in both party organizations, which the leaders seemed confident they could straighten out but which the compromise advocates predicted would greatly strengthen the movement for a bi-partisan conference of those determined to ratify the treaty even at the expense of material concessions on both sides.

The feeling among those who are ready to go ahead without their leaders seemed to be that the treaty deadlock already had been prolonged unnecessarily by too much no-compromise talk, and that both sides had overplayed a waiting game in the hope that a break would come in the opposition.

Talk Got Nowhere.

After their conference Sunday with Senator Lodge, the mild reservation republicans seemed confident that he would take the initiative, if necessary, in carrying the compromise negotiations forward. On Monday he saw Senator Underwood of Alabama, a prominent democratic advocate of a compromise, but it was said today that their talk got nowhere.

Meantime it became known that the irreconcilable group of republicans had been bringing pressure to bear to induce the party leader not to consent to any compromise proposals which did not meet with their approval. Senator Johnson, of California, one of the leaders of this group, telegraphed today that he would change his plans and return to the capital from his home state next week.

In the democratic ranks the treaty situation is complicated by the contest between Senators Hitchcock and Underwood for choice as party leader, much of the talk for a bi-partisan agreement coming from the Underwood supporters. The party caucus has been called for January 15 to elect a leader, and in the meantime republicans and democrats apparently are doubtful as to who can speak with authority on the democratic side.

Hitchcock's Position.

Senator Hitchcock repeatedly has declared his willingness to make any compromise which does not vitally harm the treaty, but has indicated that he expects the next move to come from the republican side. Senator Lodge also said he

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Widow Is Held With Her Cousin In Murder Case

Young Mrs. Brown and Lloyd Prevost Detained as Material Witnesses in Regard to Killing of Brown.

Mount Clemens, Mich., December 26.—County authorities investigating the killing last Wednesday of J. Stanley Brown, son of a millionaire Detroit manufacturer, today detained as material witnesses Mrs. Ruth Prevost Brown, the slain man's young widow, and Lloyd Prevost, her cousin.

Mrs. Brown and Prevost, the latter of whom was regarded as one of Brown's closest friends, were questioned again this afternoon separately by Prosecutor Lynn Johnson and Sherff Wiliam Caldwell. Decision to hold them as witnesses was reached after three hours devoted to interrogating.

A safety deposit vault containing Brown's papers was opened this afternoon and found to contain securities worth $16,000. This, according to William T. Kelly, an attorney who acted as financial adviser for Brown, is $12,000 short of the amount of securities his client was understood to have had in his possession. While some of the securities were known to have been negotiable, no record of their having been disposed of by Brown could be found today.

Brownn frequently carried large sums of money and securities on his person. The authorities, however, scout the theory that robbery was the motive for his slaying. Sheriff Caldwell declared he was convinced that jealousy was the cause. In explaining this theory today, he said he believed a man and a woman accompanied Brown on the automobile trip which ended in his death on a country road four miles from here. In support of this opinon, he pointed to the fact that four bullets had been fired into the young man's neck from behind "so close," the sheriff added, "that there was no chance of missing." Pursuing this theory, the sheriff expressed the conviction that the shooting was done by a man angered because he believed Brown was attentive to a young woman in whom he himself was interested.

Stories of an estrangement between Brown an his wife were denied by Mrs. Brown, who pointed out that he had given her $50 as a Christmas gift Tuesday afternoon.

WILSON YIELDS GERMAN LINERS TO GREAT BRITAIN

President Orders Shipping Board to Turn Over Seven Ships in New York Harbor to British.

BRITAIN IS HOLDING STANDARD OIL SHIPS

Twelve Tankers Belonging to American Corporation Were Found Under German Flag and Seized by the British.

Washington, December 26.—The controversy between the shipping board and British officials over possession of seven German liners used to bring back American troops now held idle in New York harbor, ended abruptly today with the announcement that President Wilson had ordered the vessels turned over to Great Britain. The transfer will be made without delay and the ships assigned to passenger service on British lines.

No explanation of the order was made beyond the statement that the state department had found there was no warrant for holding the vessels now that the object for which they were assigned by the inter-

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$500,000 INVOLVED IN REALTY DEALS GIVEN OUT FRIDAY

Sales Aggregating $309,000 Are Announces by Firm of Keenan & Chambers.

W. J. STODDARD BUYS PEACHTREE BUILDING

Mrs. Charles Scherrer Given $14,000 Bonus for Her Lease of Store on Whitehall Street.

Real estate transactions involving nearly a half million dollars, which with contemplated developments will total many thousand dollars more, were made Friday. Sales aggregating $309,000 were announced by Keenan & Chambers. A number of developments will take place on properties sold by this firm, raising the value of the transactions by many thousand dollars. The purchase of the present office of the Guthman laundry at 138 Peachtree streets by W. J. Stoddard for $115,000 cash was announced by Mr. Stoddard. This property will be developed after the expiration of the present lease expires in about two years, and will be improved for a down-town office of the Stoddard Dry Cleaning company.

Whitehall Street Lease.

Another transaction of interest and importance is the lease of the storeroom on Whitehall street that has been occupied for several years by the Scherrer restaurant to the Federal Bakeries company for three years at a total consideration, including a $14,000 bonus paid Mrs. Charles Scherrer, of $44,600. The rental price for the property, which belongs to Mrs. Walter P. Andrews, is $850 a month, or $10,200 a year.

The Federal Baking company, which has a chain of bakeries in Atlanta and other cities, will occupy the Whitehall street store by the first of January, installing one of their quick bakeries there. The Sherrer restaurant has removed to Jacksonville, Fla.

Representing Mrs. Scherrer in the deal that is believed to be a record bonus for a three-year lease, was A. A. Baumstark, a well-known attorney, and R. R. Otis, a prominent realty man of Atlanta, acted for the Federal Bakery company.

Indicating the great demand for central business property, Mr. Baumstark stated that many offers, carrying large monuses, were made for Mrs. Scherrer's lease after it became known that she would no longer occupy the property.

The above transactions indicate the continued activity of the realty market in Atlanta, which will perhaps break all records by the close of the present year. The determination of business concerns to secure permanent locations in Atlanta is also evidenced by these and other recent sales that have been made for high prices in the central business portion of the city.

Walton Street Corner Sold.

Among the announcements made by Keenan & Chambers was the sale of the southeast corner of Walton and Fairlie streets for Frank Hawkins to Cecil R. Cannon and K. L. Jones for $120.000. This centrally

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SENATOR W. J. HARRIS AND WIFE IN ATLANTA

Senator William J. Harris, accompanied by Mrs. Harris, spent Friday night in Atlanta at the Ansley hotel. He arrived in the city Friday morning.

Senator Harris will spend two weeks in the state before taking up his work at Washington again. He leaves today to visit his sister, Mrs. John H. Quinn, in Sandersville.

From Sandersville Senator Harris intends to go to Cave Springs to spend several days with his brother, James T. Harris. He will also spend several days of his stay in Georgia at his home in Cedartown.

When asked his opinion as to the legality of the operations of the local fair price committee, Senator Harris stated that he is referring all such queries to the office of Attorney General Palmer.

Rail Men to Strike For Right to Strike; Congress Warned

NEW POSTOFFICE FOR SOUTH SIDE ASSURED ATLANTA

Will Be Established in Building Rented by Government on West Hunter Street in Near Future.

WILL HELP RELIEVE PRESENT CONGESTION

Structure, Which Will Be Erected by Alfred Truitt, Will Contain 50,000 Square Feet of Floor Space.

Plans for the establishment of a postoffice on the south side of Atlanta have reached maturity.

A three-story building containing 50,000 square feet of floor space, to be immediately erected by Alfred Truitt, of LaGrange, on the north side of West Hunter street, between Forsyth and Madison avenue, will be leased by the postoffice department for ten years, it was learned yesterday by The Constitution.

This big building, in addition to furnishing facilities for the new south side business district, will also be used for handling through mails, and, by providing space and equipment now lacking at the Terminal station, will enable vast quantities of mail that is frequently delayed here to be handled expeditiously. There will, however, be no delivery service at the new station at present.

Plans Long Considered.

After many months of negotiations and planning, during which time a number of sites were considered for the location of the south side postoffice, the demands of the business men on the south side for an office, in which stamps could be purchased, money orders purchased, and packages, parcels and letters posted have been met, plans of the government having been completed. Although no official announcement has yet been made, it was learned on unquestioned authority that the south side postoffice will occupy the Truitt building when completed.

The new building will be three stories high, and will front 150 feet on West Hunter street. It will be erected according to the specifications of the postoffice department, and it is believed that it will be purchased for a permanent postal station upon the expiration of the ten-year lease.

The location of the new building will be in close proximity to the Terminal station, makin git convenient for the handling of three mails that have to be worked here before continuing the journey to other points in the south. A large portion of the building, it is stated, will be devoted to the handling of through mails, giving relief from the crowded condition of the space occupied by the postoffice department, in the Terminal station now. The limited quarters used by the department for the re-working of through mails in the Terminal causes much delay that will be avoided by the new building.

Will Enhance Importance.

In addition to the great convenience that will be afforded the business men on the south side by the new postoffice, a feature of special interest in connection with the development is that the opening of the office will have the effect of greatly enhancing the importance of West Hunter street, making it a popular short-cut from Whitehall, Broad and Forsyth streets to the Terminal station, and taking a great deal of the extra burden of traffic off of Mitchell street.

While the present plans of the postoffice department provide only for the handling of through mails, and furnishing such service as selling stamps, money orders and facilities for posting letters, packages and parcels, it is thought that with the pressure that is sure to be exerted by the business men on the south side, it will be but a short time until prenarations are made to give local delivery service at the new postoffice.

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Railway Machinists, 125,000 Strong, Vote to Quit If Anti-Strike Clause Remains in Cummins Measure.

CONFERENCE CALLED OF RAIL UNION CHIEFS

They Will Meet Monday in Washington and Define Precisely Position on Anti-Strike Clause.

Washington, December 26.—Organized railway machinists, through their president, served notice on congress today that they would not submit to enactment of the Cummins railroad bill, with its drastic anti-strike clauses.

Voting more than a month ago, 98 per cent of the 125,000 members of the union favored an immediate walk-out in event of the bill's passage by both houses of congress but the result was not made known through fear that the brotherhoods might appear in the light of attempting to coerce the law-making branch of the government.

Union Chiefs to Confer.

The machinists, according to William H. Johnson, president of the International association, are the only railway employees who have taken a strike vote, but the heads of all the brotherhoods, fourteen in all, have been summoned to meet here Monday to consider pending railway legislation and define precisely their position on the clause in the Cummins bill, which would prevent strikes and put strikers in jail.

The call for the conference was issued by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, but he and other labor leaders refused to discuss probable action by the brotherhood leaders. President Wilson's Christmas eve announcement that the roads would be handed back to their owners March 1 was a distinct disappointment to labor leaders, who had been leading for a five-year extension of government control. They agreed, however, that if the roads were to go back it was a good thing to let it be known.

When Vote Was Taken.

In making this announcement of the strike vote William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, said the vote was taken before the senate interstate commerce committee reported out the Cummins measure and that the result was not officially published because the association did not want to appear in the attitude of attempting to threaten congress.

President Johnston explained that the strike vote stipulated that union railway machinists would quit work if the Cummins bill was passed by both branches of congress, not by one.

"When the roads were taken over by the government the employees were free," Mr. Johnston said, "and we propose that if they are turned back to private ownership the employees shall be equally free. There is no necessity for such drastic legislation as is provided for in the Cummins bill. There never has been a general railroad strike and there never will be, in my opinion."

So far as labor officials are advised they will not be given another hearing by senate or house committees, but they will keep up the fight against the anti-strike section, it was said, and appeal finally to President Wilson to veto the bill if it should be enacted with that clause intact.

No Meeting of Conferees.

There was no meeting today of house and senate conferees who have been assigned the stupendous job of trying to frame a new railroad bill out of the Esch and Cummins measures. This work, however, will begin next week in the hope of final enactment of railroad legislation some time in the next two months. The anti-strike section is known to be the main point of difference, and while it was left intact in the bill passed by the senate, house leaders frankly expressed

DANIELS IS FORCED BY ARMY OFFICERS TO REVISE AWARDS

Refusal of Sims and Other Officers to Accept Decorations Causes Secretary to Reconvene the Board of Awards.

SECRETARY ADMITS REVISION NECESSARY

His Action Came After Rear Admiral Jones and Captain Hasbrouck Joined Admiral Sims in Rejecting Decorations.

Washington, December 26.—Secretary Daniels tonight ordered the navy department's board of awards re-convened Monday, January 5, to revise the recent recommendations as to naval awards, which have been the source of a controversy brought to a head a few days ago by declination of Admiral Sims to accept the Distinguished Service medal while the awards remained as at present.

"While approving in the main the recommendations of the board of awards," said Mr. Daniels, in his order to Rear Admiral A. M. Knight to reconvene the board, "my examination into the subject has convinced me that there are a number of cases requiring further examination and there have been additional recommendations since your board adjourned which require examination by a board of officers."

The order to reconvene the board was made public late tonight following receipt of reports from Newport, R. I., that Vice Admiral Hilery P. Jones and Captain Raymond D. Hasbrouck had followed Admiral Sims in refusing to accept the medals bestowed on them, disagreeing with the policy determining the officers to be rewarded for services during the war. Secretary Daniels, it was said at the navy department, however, had received no information as to the declination of Captain Hasbrouck or the reported declination of Vice Admiral Jones.

Order of Secretary.

The secretary's order to reconvene the board, addressed to Rear Admiral A. M. Knight, chairman, follows:

"While approving in the main the recommendations of the board of awards, my examination into the subject has convinced me that there are a number of cases requiring further examination and there have been additional recommendations since your board adjourned which require examination by a board of officers.

"I felt in going over the list the board had been too liberal, particularly as regard officers whose duty during the war was mainly or altogether on shore. I felt that reports, some of which had not come to your board, particularly as to men who had served and suffered in the war zone, justified additional awards.

"No official approval of any list has been made. All lists published were tentative. Last week I ordered changes made in the list as printed awarding the distinguished service medal, among others, to Rear Admiral Knight, Admiral Caperton and Vice Admiral Jones. I had also decided that like awards should be given to certain other officers who had rendered long and arduous service on convoys and other service afloat in the war zone.

"I feel that nothing should be left undone, as far as is humanly possible, to insure that the awards should be made without the possible suggestion of injustice or discrimination against any person in the naval service, and I have, therefore, decided to reconvene the board of awards to reconsider the whole subject in the light of the additional information recently sent to the bu-

Weather Prophecy

FAIR

Washington—Forecast:

Georgia—Fair Saturday and Sunday; not much change in temperature.

Local Weather Report.

Highest temperature	52
Lowest temperature	37
Mean temperature	44
Normal temperature	43
Rainfall in past 24 hours, in...	.00
Excess since Dec. 1, inches	9.11
Excess since Jan. 1, inches	11.52

	7 a. m.	Noon.	7 p. m.
Dry temperature	39	47	48
Wet bulb	34	38	41
Relative humidity	64	41	54

STATIONS and State of WEATHER.	Temperature. 7. p.m.	High.	Rain 24 hrs. Inches.
ATLANTA, clear	48	52	.00
Birmingham, cl.	46	54	.00
Boston, cloudy	36	36	.00
Buffalo, cloudy	34	34	.00
Charleston, clear	48	58	.00
Chicago, clear	34	38	.00
Denver, clear	42	48	.16
Des Moines, cl.	36	40	.00
Galveston, clear	54	58	.00
Hatteras, clear	44	46	.00
Havre, cloudy	44	46	.00
Jacksonville, cl.	56	66	.00
Kansas City, cl.	40	44	.00
Memphis, cly.	36	36	.00
Miami, cloudy	64	72	.00
Mobile, clear	48	56	.00
Montgomery cl.	50	58	.00
New Orleans, cl.	48	50	.00
New York, cly.	32	34	.00
North Platte, cl.	32	42	.00
Oklahoma, cl.	40	50	.00
Phoenix, clear	64	74	.00
Pittsburg, cly.	34	36	.00
Raleigh, clear	44	52	.00
S. Francisco, cl.	54	58	.00
St. Louis, clear	40	42	.00
S. Lake City, cly.	32	38	.00
Shreveport, rain	40	42	.00
Tampa, clear	56	68	.00
Toledo, cloudy	38	38	.00
Vicksburg, cldy.	38	40	.00
Washington, cly.	36	40	.00

C. F. von HERRMANN,
Meteorologist, Weather Bureau.

MILESTONES OF THE FAST DEPARTING YEAR

And Other Feature Articles of Importance In Tomorrow's Constitution.

REVIEW OF 1919.

In a very few days, the good year 1919 will have passed forever into the pages of history. During its stay with us, many of its days have been marked by important occurrences in all branches of human interest. Do you know what they were? This is a page of review which should be in every home, office, factory, library and study. What the twelve months just past have brought in Peace-Making, International Relations, Labor and Industry, Disasters, Aviation, Sports, Necrology, Society, Religion, Science, Etc.

THE ENEMY WITHIN.

The inside story of the conspiracy to deliver France into the hands of the Germans. Joseph Caillaux, ex-premier of France is now on trial in Paris charged with treason—he is accused of having been the head of the greatest group of traitors the world has known. How he, with Pacifists and Apaches as his tools, schemed to betray his country to the enemy. A series detailing this, the most dramatic story of modern times, written by Severance Johnson, begins in The Sunday Constitution tomorrow. Truth that reads like melodramatic fiction.

GOOD FORM AND HEALTH.

The first of a series of articles indispensable to all women who desire to get the most out of life. Telling in simple phrase the easiest means to secure perfection in bodily vigor, beauty, health and appearance, for women of all classes. This page, which will hereafter be a regular feature of the Woman's Magazine Section of The Sunday Constitution, is the most instructive of its type ever published. Dancing as an aid to health, this week.

THE INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

Every woman has longed for the ability to make those dainty articles, which are so much more highly valued when they are the product of the owner's own industry than when they come from a soulless store. The product of the domestic needle is the most highly prized of gifts. No woman who depends solely upon the work of others for her possessions and for the gifts she gives, can ever know the full delight in the home-made article. This series will also appear weekly in The Woman's Magazine Section, beginning tomorrow

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reau of navigation and such other information as any person in the naval service may wish to lay before the borad.

"The board will, therefore, meet in Washington on Monday, January 5, 1920."

MORE NAVY OFFICERS REFUSE DECORATIONS.

Newport, R. I., December 26.—Word that Vice Admiral Hilery P. Jones and Captain Raymond D. Hasbrouck had followed the example of Admiral Sims in declining to accept decorations awarded them in the recently published navy list was received in naval circles here tonight.

According to the information received here, Vice Admiral Jones, who commands the first division of the Atlantic fleet, has written to Secretary Daniels declining the award of the distinguished service cross and protesting against certain awards to members of forces under his command during the war. His principal war commands were those of the first squadron of the patrol fleet and of the Newport News division of the cruiser and transport force.

Captain Hasbrouck, now commander of the battleship Minnesota, is understood to have asked Secretary Daniels to remove his name from the list of awards of the navy cross. He formerly commanded a transport which was sunk by a German torpedo.

Why Hasbrouck Refuses.

Philadelphia, December 26.—Captain Raymond D. Hasbrouck, commander of the battleship Minnesota, tonight confirmed the report that he had declined to accept the navy cross awarded him by the navy department. He said he "thoroughly concurred" in the views of Admiral Sims contained in his recent letter to Secretary of the Navy Daniels that no special award should be given to officers whose ships were successfully attacked by German submarines, though no special blame should be attached to commanding officers for their failure to successfully combat the U-boats.

"Concurring in the views of Admiral Sims," said Captain Hasbrouck at his home at Bryn Mawr tonight, "I could not consistently receive the award, for the reason that I had lost my ship."

Captain Hasbrouck commanded the transport Covington when she was sunk on July 1, 1918, returning to the United States after having landed troops in Europe. Six men lost their lives.

GEORGIAN IS NAMED TO MILITARY ACADEMY

Washington, December 26.—Candidates designated by the war department for the February entrance examinations for the military academy include the following:

Georgia—Carey J. King, Jr., of Rome. Mississippi—Wendell R. Holmes, Magnolia; Edward A. Robins, Meridian. South Carolina—Sarratt T. Hames, Union.

WHOLESALE KILLING ALLEGED IN HUNGARY

Berlin, December 26.—Appeals to world workers, especially socialists in the United States, England, France and Italy, asking that those government take steps to stop the alleged "slaughter" of communists and socialists in Hungary, are being sent out by the central government board of the Austrian social democracy. It is asserted whereas five hundred victims were charged up to the Bela Kun regime in Hungary, more than ten times that number have been executed on conviction at drumhead court-martial on "flimsy warrants" issued with alleged connivance of Admiral Horthy, in command of the Hungarian government troops at present.

The Vorwaerts is informed that an entente commission recently found the bodies of 62 communists hanging from trees in a patch of woods near Budapest. The newspaper declares: "If the Huszar government of Hungary seeks to establish relations with Germany, it is hoped it will be kicked out."

SPECULATORS STUCK ON CHRISTMAS TREES

New York, December 26.—Speculators in Christmas trees were hard hit in New York this year and today dealers who had hoped for big profits hired truckmen to cart many remaining firs to the bay. Others were turned over to janitors to help heat apartments.

Exceptionally large shipments of Christmas trees were brought in two weeks ago and because other things were dear were priced from $6 to $10 each. No stampede of customers was observed, however, and a week later very fine specimens could be obtained for $2 to $4. Tuesday night trees were selling from 35 cents to $1 and on Christmas eve there were many great piles in various parts of the city over which were signs reading "Please take one."

Evidence Being Sought Of a Lost Continent In the Pacific Ocean

Buenos Aires, December 26.—Evidence of a lost continent in the Pacific ocean, a 5,000-mile prehistoric "bridge" of land between South America and Hawaii, long submerged, is being sought by an American scientist, William Alanson Bryan, professor of zoology and geology in the College of Hawaii, who left Honolulu last June on his remarkable quest.

Dr. Bryan, who came to Argentina by way of Mexico and the west coast of South America, is about to return to Valparaiso, where he will board a ship for the little island of Juan Fernandez, 400 miles out.

"In the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Science," said the professor, "I was surprised a year ago to discover a certain little fresh water molluscs, from Juan Fernandez, that were extraordinarily similar in their characteristics to certain molluscs in Hawaii. So I am determined to visit the island, study those shells and its entire flora and fauna."

If the Juan Fernandez molluscs should prove to be closely allied with those of Hawaii, Dr. Bryan explained in an address here, it would prove that land connection had existed, as the species must have traveled from Juan Fernandez to Hawaii, or vice versa, by the rivers of the pre-historic continent. He hopes by visiting the island to find evidence of the date of submergence of the continent, its geology, configuration and the directions in which the rivers run. He is equipped with a diver's suit and other paraphernalia for making scientific researches.

RECOGNITION IN 1920 FOR IRISH REPUBLIC

New York, December 26.—A prediction that 1920 may see the recognition of the "republic of Ireland" by the United States was contained in a New Year's message cabled to Arthur Griffith, "acting president," by Eamonn de Valera, and made public here tonight. The message follows:

"Greetings to the persecuted people of Ireland from the many millions of Americans who love liberty and admire people everywhere who will not be denied liberty. Endure yet a little while longer. You will be sustained. The year 1920 may see the republic of Ireland officially recognized by the United States, and then final victory after 750 years. Work and pray. Everyone, colleagues and self, are doing our duty. We send our affectionate regards to every Irish citizen."

$500,000 INVOLVED IN REALTY DEALS

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located lot measures 60x100 feet, and the price paid for it was $2,000 a front foot. Mr. Cannon, one of the purchasers, is the proprietor of the Cecil hotel, and Mr. Jones is head of the Jones Machinery corporation, of Marietta street. No details were given out with reference to the plans for this corner, but it is believed that a large hotel or office building will be erected at this point. This belief is strengthened by the fact that this section of the city is rapidly being developed by the expansion of Atlanta's business district, and the demand for central business property.

Keenan & Chambers also sold for the Heath estate to the Phoenix Investment company the northwest corner of Spring and Luckie streets for $65,000. This property measures 82x150 feet, and the purchasers will improve it at once, it was declared.

West Peachtree Deal.

The same firm sold for Ben Steele to William Candler the property at the northeast corner of West Peachtree and Pine streets for $57,000. Mr. Candler already owned a 50-foot frontage on Pine street adjacent to this lot, and his recent purchase gives him a lot measuring 100 feet on West Peachtree street and 200 feet on Pine street. It is understood that the property was bought by Mr. Candler as an investment.

R. W., G. W. and H. F. Woodruff sold through Keenan & Chambers to K. L. Jones the southeast corner of Marietta street and North avenue, a vacant lot, 127x150 feet, for $30,000. This property will be utilized as the site for a big building to be used as a home for the Jones Machinery corporation, which is now in rented quarters. This building, it is declared, will be erected within a short time.

Keenan & Chambers also sold the southeast corner of Marietta and Simpson streets to Edwin R. Haas for a client. The price paid for this property was $12,000. Edwin R. Haas also purchased through the same firm a lot on Whitehall street between Humphries street and the Southern railway for $12,000. These properties were bought for investments.

The same agency sold for R. L. Lamb to a client the southeast corner of Moreland and Euclid avenues for $13,000.

Bought by Stoddard.

The one-story building at 138 Peachtree street, which is now occupied by the uptown offices of the Guthman laundry, was purchased a few days ago by W. J. Stoddard, of the Stoddard Dry Cleaning company. Mr. Stoddard paid the purchase price of $115,000 in cash, and will take charge of the building at the expiration of the lease now held by Guthman.

This property was bought from J. H. Lumpkin, of Athens, who owns several pieces of central property. Mr. Stoddard stated Friday afternoon that he would improve the lot by erecting a building thereon for the use of his company as offices, but declared that his plans were not sufficiently mature to make a detailed announcement regarding the kind of building he will erect.

MORTUARY

John Marcus Lee.

John Marcus Lee, 44 years of age, of 30 Augusta avenue, died Friday night at 7:30 o'cock. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nellie Lee, and a sister, Mrs. Tom Spratling.

Mrs. Frances Spearman.

Mrs. Frances Harper Spearman, 67 years of age, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Stubbs, of 7 Gilbert street, Ormewood Park, Friday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. She is survived by another daughter, Miss Frances G. Spearman, and two sons, G. S. and B. S. Spearman. The body was taken to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

U. S. AND JAPAN IN AGREEMENT

Regarding Joint Action in Siberia—Announcement Is Made by Japanese Publicity Bureau.

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Vladivostok, December 26.—(By the Associated Press.)—A common ground on which to base joint action in Siberia has been reached by the United States and Japan, according to an announcement given out here by the Japanese official publicity bureau.

The announcement said: "Genuine satisfaction is expressed in influential quarters that a common ground has been reached by Japan and America for basing joint action in Siberia. This is particularly pleasing to those who have observed with regret that Siberian policies of the two countries at times seemed to follow divergent courses."

LANSING CONFERS WITH SHIDEHARA.

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Washington, December 26.—Ambassador Shidehara has had a second interview at the state department on the Siberian stuation but Secretary Lansing is understood not yet to be prepared to present this government's views, as requested some weeks ago by the Tokio foreign office.

It is believed that the state department will indicate, in reply, that while the United States has no present intention of withdrawing troops there, it is not the determination of America to dispatch reinforcements at this time, as it has never been the policy of this government to go further than was released by the instructions to its Siberian expedition, to assist the Czecho-Slovaks in their retirement from Siberia, to protect the railway and to guard important stores.

It is not known what attitude the state department will take towards the Japanese intimation that small Japanese reinforcements may be sent to Siberia. The Japanese are understood to entertain the apprehension that a spread of bolshevism throughout Siberia would endanger the peace of China and of the Orient generally, and to consider as necessary a "fire-fighting force to extinguish the conflagration" if the danger draws near to Japanese territories.

Unofficial advices from Tokio lay emphasis upon the determination of the Japanese government to take no action with respect to Siberia except after a full discussion of the situation and contemplated steps with the American government, especially in view of the fact that it was the United States which originally proposed measures leading to the joint action of Japan and the United States in Siberia.

In addition to the menace of bolshevism, disorder is general throughout Siberia, and the country stands in peril of greater confusion and even anarchy, according to advices from Harbin and Vladivostok. It has not yet been revealed whether admiral Kolchak, with a reorganized government at Irkutsk, can control the situation. That will be determined, in the opinion of some Russians here, by the attitude of the Zemstovos and co-operative societies toward his administration.

MANY XMAS ACCIDENTS OCCUR AT SAVANNAH

Savannah, Ga., December 26. (Special.)—Two killings, half a dozen affrays, a brutal assault upon a police officer and other forms of crime broke the Christmas peace in Savannah. William Riley met a mysterious death while sleeping in his bed at his home here by being shot, through the left temple shortly before daybreak Thursday morning. His wife was locked up after an investigation of the tragedy, but no charges have been docketed, pending further investigation by officers.

Officer Miller, of the police force, was severely beaten by negroes when he attempted to make an arrest of two negroes Wednesday night about midnight. The horse ridden by Policeman Henry Ayers was shot while the policeman was patrolling his beat. Lonnie Stanley, colored, was shot to death by another negro as a result of a row over a chicken.

6,561 LEGION POSTS IN THE UNITED STATES

Indianapolis, December 26.—American Legion posts in the United States and foreign countries now total 6,561, it was announced today, at national headquarters here. France, England and Canada each have one post; Alaska has four posts; Hawaii, five; Cuba, one; Panama, one; Mexico, one, and the Philippine Islands, one. Ten states have more than two hundred posts each.

New York leads the states with 777 posts; Pennsylvania is second with 497, and Illinois is third with 369 posts.

The posts chartered in other states include:

Alabama, 34; Arkansas, 90; Florida, 55; Georgia, 78; Kentucky, 65; Louisiana, 29; Mississippi, 54; North Carolina, 58; Oklahoma, 126; South Carolina, 47; Tennessee, 61; Texas, 110; Virginia, 101.

ALLIES BUY WHEAT TO RELIEVE VIENNA

New York, December 26.—The Wheat Export company, purchasing agent for the allies, has bought $1,000,000 worth of flour from the United States Grain corporation for the relief ow Vienna, it was announced today. It will be shipped from New York immediately.

FIUME VOTERS TURN AGAINST D'ANNUNZIO

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Rome, December 26.—D'Annunzio and the extremists at Fiume are greatly disconcerted by the results of the voting of the best elements. D'Annunzio's entourage have done their utmost to control the situation and to bring about a settlement. Major Reina was perhaps the first to see that the position was becoming untenable and began to exercise his influence against the program of the extremists. Others followed him, and now it is reported that Giuriati and Rizzo have detached themselves from the poet. Those who are now supporting D'Anun io in his last resistance, or it would perhaps be better to say, those who are responsible for working up the poet's mind afresh, are the least satisfactory elements among the legionnaires and their officers and a few of the more violent population in Fiume.

It is reported that a majority of those who voted against the acceptance of the government's offer consisted of soldiers and women.

It is evident that the changed attitude on the part of the population of Fiume is principally due to a realization of the fact that continuance of D'Annunzio's occupation can lead to nothing but disaster. The government's offer promised to guarantee the Italian character of the city and the contiguity of the frontier with Italy and this satisfies the essential demands.

Rome, December 26.—Fiume continues to monopolize most of the Italian newspapers, which are rather imperfectly informed regarding developments there, but which declare the residents of the Adriatic town have become tired of Gabriele d'Annunzio and want its future definitely decided.

The Messaggero says: "Amid so many proposals the people of Fiume are tired and are invoking a speedy solution of the situation which will give them freedom and at the same time an immediate return to work and tranquillity."

The Giornale d'Italia appears today with 228 lines censored. This is under the heading: "Communication from Command at Fiume." Commenting on the situation the Giornale d'Italia says: "Premier Nitti is leaving the beginning of January for Paris. If the big question is settled from the internal viewpoint, will this help him with the allies?"

FAIR MILLIONS TO BE DIVIDED BY COMPROMISE

San Francisco, December 26.—A compromise agreement in the contest over the will of the late James G. Fair, former United States senator from Nevada, was filed today in the superior court, ending years of litigation over the estate. The terms of the settlement were not made public.

In the agreement, the principal heirs of Senator Fair, his daughters, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, and her son, Herman Oelrichs, Jr., of New York, concede that the seven plaintiffs are entitled to be restored to their rights under the Fair will.

Lieutenant Wesley R. Crothers, chief of the plaintiffs, started action about a year ago, claiming that the portion of the estate which should have gone to his mother, Margaret Fair Crothers, of San Jose, was lost to her through the supreme court decision which broke the Fair will.

Besides Lieutenant Crothers, the plaintiffs were Mrs. Virginia M. Trimble, Mrs. Emma J. Young, William J. Fair, Miss Eva Lena Fair, John A. Fair, and Miss Florence Fair. Lieutenant Crothers' mother was a sister of Senator Fair. The other plaintiffs are sons and daughters of William Fair, brother of the senator.

The defendants besides Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Oelrichs, and Herman Oelrichs, Jr., were Muriel and Consuelo Vanderbilt, daughters of Mrs. Vanderbilt; William K. Vanderbilt, son of Virginia Vanderbilt; James S. Angus, and Thomas G. Crothers, executors of Fair's will and trustees of the estate, and Frederick W. Henshaw, former justice of the supreme court.

The compromise agreement was presented by Attorney Martin Taylor of New York, representing the Vanderbilts, and Oelrichs.

When Senator Fair died in the early 90's, his estate was variously estimated at between twelve million and twenty million dollars.

The will established a trust comprising the entire estate and provided that his three children, Charles Fair, Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs, should receive the income from this trust during their lives. Upon the death of the last of his three children one half the property, it was provided, should be given to his grandchildren, and the other half divided equally between his brothers and sisters and such children of theirs as might be alive when the trust terminated. Charles Fair and his wife were killed in an automobile accident near Paris several years ago.

Of the brothers and sisters of Senator Fair only one, Edward Fair, is living.

Attorneys declared Judge Henshaw was not a legatee under the will, but that it had been desired to obtain testimony from him and that this could not be done without naming him as a defendant.

BIG CHRISTMAS TREE AT HOLMES INSTITUTE

Rev. B. R. Holmes, president of the Holmes institute, in delivering an address to a large audience at the Christmas tree given yesterday in the chapel of the institute for the poor children of Atlanta, said: "There is no city in the south where the white citizens are more generous to the colored people than in Atlanta. They contribute and use their influence for every good movement among the colored people for the advancement of the race." The program of the exercises was featured by recitations and plantation melodies by the students of the institute. One of the interesting parts of the program was the donating of presents to children from all sections of the city. The closing remarks were made by Rev. W. Thomas, who praised the Holmes institute.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Kiss Burglar."

(Coming to the Atlanta Theater.)

"The Kiss Burglar" is the title of the tuneful and genuinely amusing play, with book and lyrics by Glen MacDonough and music by Raymond Hubbell, which Coutts and Tennis, the producers, will bring to the Atlanta theater on Monday night for an engagement of three nights and Wednesday matinee. This, no doubt, will prove to be one of, if not the most engaging, musical events of the present season. Among the many features of this presentation is the famous "Peacock Alley" chorus that became famous over night on Broadway. In accordance with the usual custom of Coutts and Tennis, the producers, they have declined to divulge in advance the story of the latest MacDonough-Hubbell play, but they promise many surprises and make the statement that "The Kiss Burglar" contains many catchy songs, a legitimate story and music of the highest order, all of which tend to make this the season's most interesting musical event. The play is in two acts and five scenes, and will be offered here exactly as seen on Broadway for six solid months with the original George M. Cohan theater production, an enormous company, including the famous "Peacock Alley" chorus. Seats are now on sale.

Four Shows Today.

(At Loew's Grand.)

While the performance is continuous today at Loew's Grand, four vaudeville shows will be given, starting at 2, 4, 7 and 9 p. m. Motion pictures will be shown before and after each vaudeville program. Mabel and Johnny Dove in tan town tales, tunes and taps, is a clever blackface offering that gives this couple ample opportunity to exhibit their versatility as entertainers. Wayne Beeman, in a whirling and spinning roller skating number, plays upon the ukulele and harmonica while performing his difficult feats, and the Two Yaquis have a novelty. This team is composed of real Indians, who entertain with native songs and dances. Other acts are Weber, Beck and Frazer, who excel in harmony singing, and the Clairmont Brothers, exponents of sensational work on the ladder.

The many screen attractions are headed by William Russell, who stars in "The Lincoln Highwayman," a greater picture than "Sacred Silence," in which he recently played with such great success.

Keith Vaudeville.

(At the Lyric.)

Today offers the last opportunity to see at Keith's Lyric what is easily one of the most popular bills of the year. The attractions include "The Two Sweethearts," a comedy sketch extraordinary; Bert and Mabel Swann and their Diving Sea Lions; Jack Dunham and Sammy Edwards, comedians; the Australian Wood-cutters, and Pert Kelton and company in a collection of jazz and the blues.

"Lasca."

(At the Tudor.)

Atlantans have their last chance today to see the famous poem by Frank Desprez, "Lasca," on the screen at the Tudor theater.

"Lasca" has drawn hundreds to the Tudor this week and on Christmas day the theater was packed afternoon and night. Patrons of the Tudor are most enthusiastic over the picture. Not only is it a poignant love story—one of the most celebrated in song and story—but it is a living, breathing picture of the Lone Star State of three decades ago, when life ran free and fair "in Texas, down by the Rio Grande."

FRIENDS ANNOUNCE BANQUET TUESDAY TO JOHN MANGET

As an indication of their appreciation of what they regard as a serious personal sacrifice to serve the department of justice of the United States in the matter of getting fair prices for Atlanta and Fulton county, friends of John A. Manget have arranged to compliment him with an informal luncheon at the Ansley hotel next Tuesday, December 30, at 12:30 o'clock.

They feel that it was in recognition of his ability and patriotic service that the department tendered Mr. Manget the direction of price control work for the entire state, and that such unselfish service, undertaken for the government without compensation, deserves some tribute from his fellow citizens.

Brief addresses by prominent men yet to be chosen on the best means to combat the high cost of living will be made. The luncheon will be one to which the public are invited, a charge of $1 a plate being payable at the door. It will adjourn promptly at 2 o'clock so as not to interfere with the business engagements of any who desire to attend.

The names of the citizens' executive committee who signed the invitation that is being sent out for the luncheon follow: H. M. Willet, Dr. C. B. Wilmer, J. A. McCord, C. J. Haden, W. A. Ward, Oscar Palmour, George M. Hope, Ivan E. Allen, M. L. Thrower, E. C. Kontz, R. S. Armstrong, Alfred C. Newell, C. T. Page and Harry A. Etheridge.

MOTHER ABANDONS YOUNG BABY GIRL ON CHRISTMAS EVE

The mystery of Atlanta's "Christmas eve" baby has not as yet been solved. The apparently selfish mother who abandoned a five-weeks-old baby girl in the Gate City hotel Wednesday afternoon is still unknown.

The baby is now in the care of physicians at the Atlanta Children's home. Officials of that home express their hopes that the love of a mother for her child will bring the woman to claim her little girl.

It is said at the hotel that a nicely dressed woman with a baby registered there several days ago as "Mrs. Webster" from Winston-Salem, N. C. Christmas eve, employees say, she left the hotel, apparently to do some shopping.

When the woman did not return an employee entered the room and found the baby on the bed in a half-starved condition. No trace of the woman or her identity has been found by the Atlanta police.

SHIP BOARD STEAMER FOR SOUTH AMERICA

New York, December 26.—The shipping board steamer Moccassin, the first vessel of a fleet of seven former German liners recently allocated for service to South America, will leave here at noon tomorrow.

The ship will carry between forty and fifty passengers in addition to mail and a full cargo of exports. Ports of call have been designed by the Murson line, operators of the fleet, as Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Buenos Aires. Other vessels intended for the service are in shipyards undergoing alterations, and changes in engine and boiler equipment. The Moccasin is a vessel of 4,760 tons, and prior to her seizure here when the United States entered the war, she was the Prinz Joachim of the Hamburg-American line.

CABLE JOINS URUGUAY TO THE UNITED STATES

New York, December 26.—Uruguay was linked to the United States today through the all-American cables by the opening of a new line from Buenos Aires to Montevideo, putting New York and Montevideo in direct telegraphic communication with each other for the first time.

The new service was inaugurated by the exchange of messages by Secretary of State Lansing and the Uruguayan minister at Washington with President Brum and Minister of Foreign Relations Iominguez, of Uruguay, at Montevideo. All predicted a strengthening of the friendship and trade between Uruguay and the United States through the development of direct communication between the two countries.

ATTEMPT TO BRIBE BY CZECH OFFICIAL

Prague, Szecho-Slovakia, December 26.—M. Jirak, a government departmental chief, today was convicted of attempted bribery in an effort to put through a big sugar deal. He was sentenced to eight months solitary confinement, loss of citizenship and confiscation of the 2,000,000 crowns he offered as the bribe.

TIDE OF IMMIGRATION ROLLS INTO PALESTINE

New York, December 26.—A great tide of immigration is sweeping into Palestine, influenced by the conviction that Great Britain will shortly accept a mandate for the Holy Land and that the dream of a national home land for the Jews is about to be realized, according to cable advices received by Zionist organizations of America today. The cable messages state that the world conference of Zionists, which was scheduled to be held at Basle on January 18, has been postponed in view of "the assured possibility of immediate negotiations for the mandate over Palestine."

At the same time a London cable message received by the Jewish Morning Journal, of this city, stated that peace negotiations with Turkey would open shortly after the new year and that the British delegates would be Premier Lloyd-George, Lord Curzon and Arthur J. Balfour, all three of whom have publicly declared their sympathy with the Zionist movement. In view of this possibility the greater actions committee of the Zionist organization has been summoned to meet as soon as possible in London to cope with what is termed the acute problem of restraining wholesale immigration to Palestine.

In a message sent to Judge Julian W. Mack, president of the American Zionist body, S. Levin, Zionist executive at London, says that the situation in south Russia and Constantinople "is so strained that the leaders of the organization have no longer any power to hold back the stream of immigration." Mr. Levin reported that crowds of fugitives are swarming uninterruptedly into Constantinople from the surrounding countries on their way to Palestine and are disregarding all barriers.

By Brilliant Service As Member of A. E. F., He Retrieves Mis-step

Boston, December 26.—How Arthur E. Abbott, long wanted as a fugitive from justice for the theft of $15,000 from the Federal Trust company, of this city, enlisted in the marines and as Sergeant William H. Haskell was cited for brilliant war service, was disclosed today when it was announced he had been set free on probation by the district attorney and that he had received the croix de guerre officially under his right name.

Abbott, who was employed as a bank bookkeeper at $20 a week, disappeared in the fall of 1917 after the bank's loss became known and it was learned he had been living like a man of wealth and leisure away from his family. He evaded a nation-wide search for him and enlisted in the marine corps at New Orleans as Haskell and went overseas with the Sixth regiment. He was one of the forty-four men left of the famous thirteen hundred marines who went through the Argonne. He was cited for bravery after capturing a machine gun and nine prisoners near Vierzya on July 19, 1918.

After receiving an honorable discharge last January he immediately re-enlisted again as Haskell. He was detailed aboard the United States ship Dolphin in July and ordered to Portsmouth, N. H., where he was recognized and arrested. District Attorney Attlettier, of Boston, on learning of his service record, ordered his release on probation. He was rearrested by the navy department, charged with enlisting under a false name, but his commanding officer, Captain John Grady of the gunboat Dolphin, effected his release within a short time and a few days later decorated him as Arthur Abbott with the croix de guerre before the ship's crew and a marine detail drawn up at attention.

The citation accompanying the decoration was signed by General Petain and presented to Abbott by his commanding officer in the absence of an official representative of the French government.

SAYS CHATHAM FULL OF WHISKY STILLS

Savannah, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—United States Deputy Marshall Kea, southern district of Georgia, declared today that the year is closing with fully 200 moonshine stills in operation in Chatham county and relatively as many in a number of other counties in this section of the state. Chatham's quota may, according to Marshal Kea, run to 250, and the business, he says, is increasing instead of decreasing.

It is declared that under the method of enforcement by federal law, now officers do not proceed against suspected violators of the law unless somebody swears out warrants for the parties upon which the officers can proceed.

LAW ON LANGUAGE UPHELD IN NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Neb., December 26.—Constitutionality of a state law designed to curtail use of foreign languages in Nebraska schools as an Americanization measure was upheld by the state supreme court today.

The law, which applies to all public, private, parochial and denominational schools, was attacked by the Nebraska district of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Missouri, Ohio and other states and by St. Francis Catholic church of South Omaha, whose attorneys charged among other things that its operation would interfere with religious liberty.

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No. 10 Cotton Bloom $2.13
No. 5 Cotton Bloom $1.12
No. 3 Cotton Bloom 66c
Choice Beef Pot Roast 20c
Prime Rib Roast 25c
Fresh Pork Hams 27c
Fresh Pork Shoulders 25c
Choice Pork Loin Roast 30c
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Chili Sauce Large 40c Medium 30c
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Pickles Heinz Sweet and Sour, 19c
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EDGEWOOD AVE. PAVING TO BE STARTED MONDAY

Material Being Placed on Street Now for a Beginning Next Week.

Material is being placed on Edgewood avenue by the city construction department in preparation for a beginning next week of work of repaving this street with concrete from North Boulevard to the railroad bridge.

The ordinance authorizing the improvement was passed in December and following a conference Friday between H. L. Collier, chief of construction, and Councilman W. F. Buchanan, who urged an early start of the work, it was decided by Mr. Collier to begin the project Monday. The south side of the street will be torn up and repaved first. The present pavement is Belgian blocks, and this section of the street is said to be in such worn condition as to have caused many automobile owners in Inman park and Druid Hills, who would use Edgewood under ordinary conditions, to make a detour by way of Ponce de Leon avenue and Peachtree street, in traveling between their homes and downtown.

The Fulton county commissioners have agreed to assume the city's share of the cost of the paving.

STREET CAR WORKERS STRIKE IN JAMAICA

Kingston, Jamaica, December 26. The street railway employees have struck for higher pay. A Canadian company, which operates the cars, is suffering heavy losses. Under the terms of the franchise, the government will have the power to take over the affairs of the company, if service is not resumed in forty-eight hours. The marine pilots have refused to bring in or take out vessels unless their fees for this service are increased.



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Ten Neediest Atlanta Families Still Celebrating Christmas

Although Christmas is over for most of Atlanta there are some families here which are still celebrating Christmas, and who will continue to do so each day of the coming year. They are the ten neediest families of Atlanta which were provided with a year-long Christmas by generous citizens who contributed to The Constitution's fund for that purpose.

"This year-long Christmas is a fine thing," said Robert Dexter, general secretary of the Associated Charities, "and those who are benefiting from it are deeply grateful. One mother told me that this was the happiest Christmas her family had ever had. By establishing a year-long Christmas opportunity fund Atlanta is putting herself in the front rank with the larger cities, such as New York, Washington, D. C., and Montreal, which are carrying out this perpetual Christmas idea.

"These places make an annual affair of it, and I hope that The Constitution will see fit to conduct the fund net Christmas for Atlanta, and make it an annual event here."

Opportunity No. 6.

Perhaps Opportunity No. 6 had as enjoyable a Christmas as any of the opportunities, for in addition to the knowledge that the widowed mother and three little children were to be provided for during the year, the children were made happy by gifts of toys and good things to eat, brought them by Charles W. Tway and his family, who was the main contributor to the fund of $208 needed for their support next year. Not content with merely sending the Christmas gifts to the children, Mr. Tway and his family brought the presents there themselves, and stayed and got acquainted with the children and the mother.

One of the happiest little girls in Atlanta is little 10-year-old Jennie, who has been assured, through The Constitution fund, of a term at school. Her mother works in a mill, her father is dead, and Jennie has had no one to look after her. With the money her mother earns and the $150 secured through the opportunity fund, Jennie is going off to a real boarding school, where she will learn all kinds of things which will help her to be self-supporting in a few years, and where she will be given enough to eat, and will be kept warm all day.

The three little sons of a paralyzed father and of a mother who is confined to the home in order to take care of her husband, will have plenty of food for the next year, and the father will be provided with enough money to pay the doctor's bill as a result of the success of the Christmas fund.

The old Confederate veteran, his feeble wife and sick son are guaranteed enough money to keep them as comfortable as possible through the next year. The widow of 35, and her six young children, are to be supplied with food and clothing, and the oldest, the twelve-year old daughter who has been working in the mill, is assured of enough money to take care of the needs of the family without her leaving school to go back to work.

Children Cared For.

The delicate little children of a widowed mother will be able to grow well and strong next year, since money has been contributed which will give them plenty to eat and enough clothes and coal to keep them warm. They are opportunity No. 6.

A big burden was lifted from the shoulders of 16-year-old John, the wage earner of a family of six younger brothers and sisters and a mother. He has been the sole support of the family, but now that the $524 necessary to supplement his income has been given through the Christmas opportunity fund, he can draw a long breath, confident that his little family can be held together.

The last days of the old lady who is slowly dying of cancer are to be made happy. This dear old lady was one of the most popular "opportunities."

Another old lady was Opportunity No. 9, a brave childless widow, who does the best she can to support herself by renting out three of the rooms in her little home. With the money derived from the fund, she declares that she can look forward to the coming year with happy anticipation, instead of fear.

The first two opportunities to be subscribed were Nos. 2 and 10. No. 2, another widowed mother with three children, was insured a sum in addition to the wages derived from her hard work at a mill, sufficient to see that her little children are given the egg and milk diet which they require. No. 10 is another old lady and her epileptic son, who were assured of the rent for the home for the coming year. In each case the entire sum required for these two opportunities was pledged by a single person.

The fund is now entirely closed, more than $3,000 having been required to attend to the needs of these ten families. Some of the later subscriptions which came in, and which have not been acknowledged, include:

S. Cunningham	$25.00
Sunday school class	60.00
C. V. Cauble	10.00
P. E. Trippe	10.00
Robinson-Humphrey Co.	5.00
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Two Friends	25.00
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T. S. F.	5.00
Mrs. K. C.	5.00
A Sympathizer	5.00
H. W. Miller	5.00
C. R. Patterson	2.00
J. R. Palmer	10.00
W. R. M.	0.50
Mrs. J. W. Elliott	1.00
Frank J. Clark	5.00
Mrs. Stewart Witham	5.00

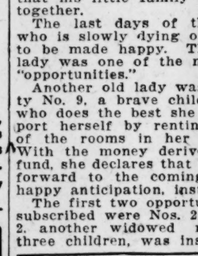
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PLAY OF NATIVITY TO BE PRESENTED

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in attendance to meet all club members. A special section of reserved seats has been held for them and they are advised that these seats will be held until 2:30. Up to that hour they will be received by Mrs. Thomas and shown to their seats. They must have tickets.

The Sunday afternoon performance will be open to the general public and admission will require no tickets, the only limit being the capacity of the Auditorium for that performance.

The final dress rehearsal was held on Friday afternoon and the entire play was gone over carefully and found to be as near perfect as human ability could make it. In the cast are over two hundred people, and in addition there is the great choir, composed of selected singers from all the church quartets in the city. The music is under the direction of Charles A. Sheldon, Jr., city organist, while the entire production is being staged by Mrs. Dora Hood Jackson, author of the play.

Only Few Seats Left.

There are a few seats left for the Sunday night performance and those who apply at the information booth today will probably find ample accommodation for that performance. It was announced Friday that many of the churches would dispense with their Sunday evening services in order that their congregations might attend this production in a body. It is a spectacular and musical telling of the greatest Christmas story, the birth, life and death of Christ. It is deeply religious in its significance and brings home most powerfully the true meaning of the Christmas anniversary.

A special section, containing 750 seats, has been reserved for negroes for the Sunday night performance and they may secure seats also at the information booth.

It was announced Friday that the following organizations will be represented by delegations and seats reserved for them, under the direction of committee chairmen:

Baptist orphanage, Mrs. E. L. Connally.

Methodist orphanage, Mrs. W. R. Hammond.

Wounded soldiers and Red Cross nurses, Mrs. Wilmer L. Moore.

Syrian children, Mrs. Joseph Moody.

Children's homes, Mrs. R. O. Kerlin.

Confederate veterans, Mrs. A. L. Woodward.

Old Women's home, Mrs. R. V. Haslett.

Jewish orphanage, Mrs. J. E. Sommerfield.

General Committee.

The general committee of the Woman's club, which has had charge of the production, includes the following:

Mrs. Ulric S. Atkinson and Mrs. Earl Sherwood Jackson, chairmen; Mrs. W. E. Beckham, Mrs. John M. Cooper, Mrs. Omar Elder, Miss Bessie Kempton, Mrs. Gordon Mitchell, Mrs. William Claer Spiker, Mrs. R. K. Rambo, Mrs. Irving Thomas, Mrs. S. C. Porter, Mrs. Dudley Cowles, Mrs. Charles Chalmers, Mrs. Charles H. Godfrey, Miss Jessie Muse, Mrs. T. T. Stevens, Mrs. Howard L. Smith, Mrs. Ernest L. Rhodes, Mrs. Fred J. White.

The personnel of those in charge of the different branches of the work is as follows:

Director, Mrs. Earl S. Jackson; musical director, Charles A. Sheldon, Jr., city organist; choir, soloists from Atlanta choirs; electrical effects, Dr. Malcolm E. Turner, R. Homer Parks; posters, Miss Jessie Muse; costumes, Mrs. Howard Leslie Smith; pantomime, Mrs. William Claer Spiker; designing and properties, Mrs. Sam C. Porter, Miss Marie Haines; scenery after designs by Wilbur Kurtz; cast, Mrs. Ulric S. Atkinson; purchasing, Mrs. Dudley Cowles; programs, Mrs. Fred J. White, E. R. Beckwith; finance, Mrs. Ulric S. Atkinson, Mrs. W. E. Beckham; publicity, Mrs. Gordon Mitchell; rehearsals, Mrs. Charles H. Godfrey; music, Mrs. John M. Cooper, Mrs. Charles Chalmers; chairman arrangements, Mrs. T. T. Stevens.

FUNERAL OF MRS. RAAB WILL BE HELD TODAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Katherine Raab, 52 years of age, whose death occurred in Grady hospital on Christmas afternoon, as the result of burns received earlier in the day, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son.

The Rev. W. W. Brinsfield, pastor of St. Paul's church, will officiate, and burial will be at West View cemetery.

Mrs. Raab was a native of Augusta, Ga. Her clothing caught fire from an open grate in her home on Thursday morning. Her son, J. C. Raab, aged 52, was painfully burned about the arms and hands while attempting to save his mother. He was reported in an improved condition Friday, and was able to leave the hospital.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE STILL NEEDS $8,000

Only Four Days Remain in Which Church Can Raise Deficit.

With only four days remaining, the Tabernacle is faced with a deficit of $8,000 for which funds must be raised to enable the church to meet its debt of $96,000.

It has in hand $88,000, but that will mean nothing if the remaining $8,000 cannot be secured. This is due to the fact that all subscriptions have been received with the understanding that they will be returned to the last penny unless the church raises the entire sum of $96,000.

The time allowed for the campaign ends with the last day of the year. Unless the Tabernacle then has a fund of $96,000, it will be sold by the sheriff.

In this crisis, Mayor Key came forward Friday with a plea on behalf of the Tabernacle.

"The Tabernacle," he said, "is something more than a church. It is a community asset. It is one of the biggest institutions in Atlanta, and the work it does is reflected throughout Atlanta.

"For that reason, everyone in this city should be interested in the Tabernacle's campaign to free itself of debt, and should be ready to help this campaign. The business and the financial interests of Atlanta cannot afford to stand by and see the church sold.

"Down there they have 1,500 children in their Sunday school, and a congregation so devoted to the church that they gave $32,000 at the outset of the campaign, and since that time have paid all but $250 of their subscriptions.

"But the thing I want to impress is the fact that the Tabernacle is an institution that is beneficial to the whole city, and for that reason is one that Atlanta as a whole should aid.

"We haven't too many churches as it is, and certainly we haven't too many like the Tabernacle. The time hasn't come when Atlanta is ready to see the sheriff step in and sell one of its churches."

The pastor of the Tabernacle, the Rev. John W. Ham, said Friday:

"We have struggled up to a point where we feel that we are morally justified in appealing to Atlanta to aid us to win our fight by securing the remaining $8,000. We are longing for some great-souled citizen who will aid us to end the campaign speedily by some rich gift.

"I have been given the deeds to three building lots, each 50x150 feet, and in the next forty-eight hours I wish to turn them into quick assets for the Tabernacle."

16 MURDER CASES ON COURT DOCKET FOR NEXT SESSION

With approximately 600 cases to be tried, 16 of which are murder cases, the criminal division of the superior court faces a heavy docket for the next session, which opens January 5.

A second trial will be held in the case of Mrs. Stella Abbot, charged with the murder of her husband, John H. Abbot, former driver for Fire Chief Cody. Mrs. Abbot was convicted of a charge of manslaughter and sentenced to twenty years, but was granted a new trial by the court of appeals.

A second trial will be held in the case of Tillie Ellis, charged with the murder of "Dutch" Elliott, during the second or third week in January. The jury in the first trial of Ellis failed to agree and a mistrial was declared by the trial judge. Ellis is at present at liberty on $5,000 bond.

A third trial will be held in the case of J. M. McDonald, charged with the murder of Joe Jung, a Chinaman. The first trial resulted in conviction and sentence to 20 years and a new trial was granted by the court of appeals. The jury disagreed in the second trial.

A. McDonald Wilson is the foreman for the new grand jury which will meet on Tuesday and if all business is completed on that day the jury will be dismissed for the season.

The first week of the new term of court will be occupied with the jail and bond cases, according to Assistant Solicitor General E. A. Stephens, after which the murder and other important cases will be taken up.

District Attorney Issues Statement On Coal Regulations

In order to bring to the attention of the coal dealers the fact that coal regulations are still in existence, the United States district attorney issued a statement Friday to the effect that the president's proclamation of October 30 covers this situation fully:

"The various orders of the fuel administration promulgated during the war were temporarily suspended by orders issued in January and February. The previous regulations have, however, been restored by a proclamation of the president issued on the 30th day of October, and the director general of railroads and his representatives have been designated to superintend the enforcement of the former orders.

"The coal dealers should take notice that the old regulations fixing prices of bituminous coal at the mines, fixing and regulating commissions of middlemen, and fixing and regulating gross margins of wholesale and retail dealers, are fully restored and should be observed accordingly."

LAWYER'S ELOQUENCE SPOILED BY FACTS

Austell Rosser, dusky manipulator of a six-shooter on Christmas night, for which he was hailed before Judge George E. Johnson in police court Friday afternoon, had an excellent lawyer defending him, but Rosser didn't appreciate the fact.

Just as the attorney was about to convince the court that in no way possible could Rosser have fired the shots and that the negro was innocent, Judge Johnson turned to Rosser and said: "Come on up here and tell us how many times you shot?"

"I just shot five times, Judge," he said. The lawyer's plea of innocence was lost. "Fifteen dollars and cost," said the judge, as he delayed the next case to have a good laugh.

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GEORGIA HIGHWAYS

Following is the highways weather service report of the U. S. weather bureau:

Atlanta, Ga., December 26, 1919.

1. Atlanta-Rome-Chattanooga.

Roads have improved considerably; have dried out but still have some bad holes, and cold weather has caused the mud to become stiff, making roads bumpy. Rome via Tulip to Chattanooga is fairly good; the ruts have not been smoothd down. The road from Cartersville to Rome via Kingston is good.

2. Atlanta-Athens-Augusta.

This highway is in fairly good condition via Washington, in Wilkes county. The Elberton-Washington-Lincolnton highway is fair. Roads are drying out fast. The road from Cummings to Atlanta is in bad shape, muddy, and washed out. The Tallulah Falls route has improved some and is drying out fast; will be good in a few days. Roads in this section have been scraped or leveled in several counties. The Atlanta-Madison-Augusta route from Covington to Social Circle has dried out and is all right, except that it is full of holes and bumpy. Bridges are in fair shape.

3. Atlanta-Macon-Southern.

Prevailing weather conditions are causing the route to improve considerably, but it is bumpy and rough in many places, and will have to be scraped. Travel is heavy over this route.

4. Atlanta-Newnan-Columbus.

The roads are drying out and improving.

Miscellaneous.

Dirt and clay roads in Emanuel county are fair, except rough in places. Several bridges are being rebuilt, but there are safe temporary structures. The Dixie highway through Macon county from three and one-half miles north of Marshallville to the National cemetery near Andersonville is in fair condition. Upper bridge over Flint river at Montezuma is O. K.

C. F. von HERRMANN.

COLLIER TO STUDY STREET PAVING IN BIRMINGHAM

Chief of Construction H. L. Collier left for Birmingham, Ala., Friday for the purpose of inspecting and making a study of street construction in that city and particularly with a view of inspecting a number of concrete pavements which Birmingham built several years ago.

Mr. Collier's observations while there will be included in his annual report which will first be submitted to the street committee which meets next Friday and in which he is expected to make some urgent recommendations regarding a program of street improvement in Atlanta for 1920.

Government Moves To Save Elk Herds From Starvation

The two principal herds of elk in the United States—one of which is under the protection of the Biological Survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture—are in danger of such serious depletion, due to early severe weather and feed shortage, special funds have been set aside for the purchase of hay for these animals whose home is in Yellowstone national park.

Department officials are making every possible effort to procure the needed feed despite the serious scarcity of hay and forage in the region. Approximately 40,000 elk roam this section of the country. They are divided into two groups, known as the northern and southern herd, respectively. The latter, which winters in the vicinity of Jackson Hole, to the south of Yellowstone park, is the one for which the department of Agriculture is seeking to make provision.

FUNERAL OF TEACHER TO BE HELD TODAY

Funeral services for Miss Dorothy Gertrude Kreis, aged 25, who died at her home, 655 South Pryor street, early Friday morning, will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence. The Rev. J. E. Hemphill, pastor of the Pryor Street Presbyterian church, will officiate, and burial will be in West View cemetery.

Miss Kreis had been a fourth grade teacher for the past two years in the Crew Street school. She was an enthusiastic religious worker, and had taught a class in the South Pryor Street Presbyterian church Sunday school for the last nine years.

Surviving her are her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kreis; a brother, J. W. Kreis, Jr., and a sister, Mrs. Fred A. Hansen.

T. P. A. BANQUET AT ANSLEY TONIGHT

The annual "get-together" banquet of Post B, T. P. A., will occur Saturday evening, December 27, in the main dining room of the Ansley hotel at 8 o'clock. Through an error the invitations announced that the banquet was to occur at another hotel, but the committee on arrangements desires the membership to know that the dinner will be held at the Ansley.

The committee in charge is J. C. Harrison, chairman; R. O. Estes, president, and P. C. Cashman, publicity man. This committee will meet all members and guests in the hotel lobby at 7:30 p. m. The affair this year, it is declared by those in charge, will eclipse any former banquet, and a large attendance is expected. A number of splendid addresses are to be made by prominent speakers, and President Estes will call on several members for short talks. Mr. Cashman, who has worked faithfully on the many details of the dinner, said Friday:

"The city is filled this week with home traveling men who have returned for the holidays, and with other knights of the grip who travel from distant cities, and we have prepared a most enjoyable evening for them. We hope and expect to see the largest attendance we have vr had at one of these annual events."

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THESE DRESSES ARE FROM THE SELECTIONS WE HAVE been selling all season at from $27.50 to $35.00. They include Taffetas, Satins, Jerseys and Serges in Navys, Browns and in fact all the better dark shades. Very delightful little garments in the very best juvenile modes and priced very low for Saturday's selling at..... $9.75 - $12.75

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HATS OF VELVET AND OF VELOUR IN A VARIETY OF really clever shapes. Some are very plain, others are trimmed with ribbons. There are shirred effects which are very smart and some trimmed with fur. A very unusual opportunity is offered in these HATS for Children at half price. There never was a time when a healthy youngster had too many. Selections are still very complete for Saturday's selling.

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Society

Dance at "Woodhaven" For Miss Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Maddox gave one of the most beautiful entertainments of the holidays last night—a dance in honor of Miss Katherine Dickey, a lovely member of the debutante set.

One hundred and fifty guests were invited, the gay company including debutantes and sub-debs with their beaux.

The Christmas foliage and flowers were used with distinctive taste in the decoration of the house, and a delicious supper was served in the dining room at 11 o'clock. There the table had as its centerpiece a Japanese cherry trees, its berries emphasized in their crimson luxuriance by the crimson ribbon which was looped at the base in the midst of a massing of ferns, and at each end were huge bowls of fruit. Red candles unshaded burned in silver candlesticks, and the candies and ices were red.

Holly and cedar wreaths tied with crimson streamers were hung under all the wall lights throughout the house, and branches of mistletoe were suspended by red ribbons in the doorways. Fruit punch was served throughout the evening in the palm room, which was picturesque with foliage and flowering plants.

Mrs. Maddox wore a becoming gown of black and gold net. Miss Dickey's flower-like blond beauty had becoming setting in orchid color, her gown of chiffon having its only trimming in a girdle of silver ribbon. Mrs. James L. Dickey wore white brocade crepe de chine combined with white sequin cloth and tulle.

ADENOIDS AND ENLARGED TONSILS DUE TO NEGLECT

Timely Attention Would Avoid Much Trouble and Danger.

If mothers and nurses would only learn that children's colds and sore throats are "acute catarrh" and lead to chronic catarrh, which in turn leads to adenoids and enlarged tonsils, many surgical operations would be spared their children.

Mothers should know, if they would only think, that infants and young children do not and cannot clear the phlegm from their air passages. The secretions accumulate, harden, become impure, insanitary and irritating. Chronic inflammation (catarrh) ensues and produces adenoids, enlarged tonsils, pigeon chest (weak lungs) and predisposes to pneumonia and tuberculosis.

With a little attention all of this may be avoided, for the mother's problem of keeping the child's nose and throat in a sanitary condition and free from germs is now perfectly solved. Simply telephone the drug store for a family jar of Eucapine Salve, costing fifty cents, enough for a winter's supply. Eucapine is a mild and most agreeable salve especially prepared to keep the child's nose and throat in a sanitary condition and free from germs and secretions. Your druggist is familiar with the prescription, which consists of eucalyptus, wintergreen, menthol, camphor and pinus sylvestris, made into a soothing, cleansing, healing, and antiseptic salve which even the babies find most agreeable.

Rub Eucapine Slave up the nostrils for colds, and if the throat and tonsils are inflamed put a little of it on the back of the tongue from which it will spread to the tonsils and throat. Eucapine relieves croup in a few moments and is an indispensable aid to every intelligent mother. Even the little tots soon learn to use it for themselves and to ask for it when their air passages are irritated. The grownups find it equally agreeable and effective in all catarrhal troubles of the nose and throat. Eucapine Salve may be had at any drug store. —(adv.)

Terrace Dinner-Dances Assemble Large Company

The dinner-dance at the Georgian Terrace last night was one of the largest and most enjoyable of the season.

Mr. Arthur Murray had arranged a group of interpretive dances by Miss Anna May Colemand and Miss Nellie Sullivan, pupils of Mrs. W. C. Spiker, who presented this feature in the lobby, where the Christmas tree shone with electric lights and gewgaws, and the mezzanine gallery, hung with wild smilax, framed a picturesque scene. General dancing was staged in the palm decorated lounge, and the dancing overflowed into the lobby.

Among those entertaining at dinner were Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar, whose guests were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Poole and Mr. and Mrs. Bockover Toy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker entertained in compliment to Miss Earnshaw, of Washington, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin. In the party were Miss Wickliffe Wurm, Miss Louise Dooly, Mr. John H. Jones, of LaGrange; Colonel M. Gray Zalinski, Major Lester, Mr. Clark, Mr. Frank Tidwell, Mr. Robert Hodgson.

The circular table at which Mr. and Mrs. Walker's guests were seated had as its centerpiece a large basket of begonias, and at opposite sides were smaller baskets of the flowers in their deep rose tints, the baskets tied with guaze ribbon. The almond baskets and place cards were in the same deep rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner S. Byck entertained a group of visitors among the younger set in compliment to their niece, Miss Mildred Byck, of Savannah, and to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Steinhardt, of Orange, N. J.

In the center of the circular table was a basket made of crimson rose petals with their leaves. The handle was formed of the rose vine, and crimson rose buds were caught in the handle. The gold monogram place cards bore each a single crimson rose leaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam K. Dick, Colonel and Mrs. Lynch, Dr. and Mrs. Westmoreland and others entertained.

Christmas Dinners.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis D. Sharp entertained at several informal dinners at their home on Fourteenth street during Christmas week.

Ferns and poinsettias were used in artistic decoration and the candle shades and other details were carried out in crimson.

Today's Calendar.

There will be an art exhibition at Cable Hall.

Miss Natalie Stokes and Mr. Lewis Hicks will be married at noon today at home of Mrs. Samuel T. Weyman, cousin of the bride.

The marriage of Miss Mary Hardwick to Dr. Frederick Bangs Rawlings will take place at 1 o'clock at All Saints' Episcopal church.

Mrs. Irving Thomas will entertain at bridge-luncheon today in compliment to Miss Margaret Pratt.

Miss Katherine Johnson, of Chicago, will be the honor guest of the bridge party to be given by Miss Dorothy Dillon at her home on Myrtle street.

Miss Helen Bowen will entertain at an afternoon tea this afternoon from four to six o'clock at her home in the Elysee apartment in compliment to Miss Jean Douglas, who will return home from Columbia university for the Christmas holidays; and Miss Helen Avery, of San Francisco, who will be the guest of Mrs. Annie Adair Foster.

There will be a dinner-dance at the Piedmont Driving club.

A tea-dance will be given at Segadlo's by the members of the college set.

A basketball game and dance will be given at the Atlanta Athletic club.

Catholic Business Women To Give Christmas Party.

The Catholic Club of Business and Professional Women with their friends will enjoy a Christmas party tonight at 8:30 at the Knights of Columbus club house, and a bright program of entertainment promises a delightful evening.

A Christmas tree and dancing, with an excellent orchestra will be features of the occasion. Admission is by invitation of the members. The officers will form an informal receiving party.

Bridge Luncheon.

Miss Irving Thomas will entertain at a bridge luncheon this morning to Miss Margaret Pratt. The guests will be Misses Frances Dudley, Dorothy Haverty, Ludie Speer, Margaret Vaughn, Mary Faith Yow, Emily Robinson, Garda Horton, Martha Whitman, Marie F. Cassells, Mary Nelson, Georgia Rice, Henrietta Tupper, Misses Walker, Frances Powell, Joyce White, Emily West, Gladys Byrd, Louise Brown, Mary Matthews, Alice Orme, Sarah Orme, Marjorie Stringefllow, Margaret Crichton, Katherine Giddings, Dorothy Sims, Lula G. Campbell, Mary Matthews, Mrs. John Oliver, Mrs. Hal Hart, Mrs. Julian Thomas, Mrs. Robert Redding, Mrs. George Woodruff, Mrs. Eugene Haynes, Mrs. Will Barnwell, Miss Margaret Wilkinson, Miss Marion Dean, Miss Elizabeth Lockridge, Mrs. Sherwood Hunt, Miss Henrietta Davis.

Club of Vingt.

A number of the visiting boys and girls of the college set will be guests of the members of the Club de Vingt on Monday afternoon at the Capital City club. During the holidays the regular members are privileged to invite their friends to the dances on Monday afternoons. The dancing will begin at 4:30 o'clock and last until 7 o'clock. About 200 members of the young college set are expected to be present at the next Monday afternoon dance.

Tea-Dance Given By Miss Bucknell.

Miss Sue Bucknell, the lovely young daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Bucknell, who is at home for the holidays from National Cathedral school, in Washington, D. C., was hostess at a tea-dance Thursday afternoon at the Druid Hills Golf club.

The decorations were all suggestive of the holiday season. Garlands of smilax were finished by bunches of holly and mistletoe. Poinsettia blossoms and crimson roses starred the evergreens and smilax.

Miss Bucknell was gowned in brown velvet, combined with brown tulle, and her hat was a smart model of brown velvet. Mrs. Bucknell assisted her daughter in receiving and wore black velvet, with picture hat of velvet.

Miss Frances Arnold, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Arnold, and Miss Isabel Johnston, daughter of Mrs. Richard Johnston, two attractive members of the younger set, served punch. Misses Colette and Janie Howell, and Vaughan Nixon, also assisted in serving bon bons.

Miss Julia McNeel, a charming schoolmate of Miss Bucknell's, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan McNeel, of Marietta, Miss Christine Blair, of Marietta, Miss Dennison, of Massachusetts, and Miss Caldwell, of New York, the guests of Miss Jennie Johnson, were numbered among the lovely guests from out-of-town, who were belles of this occasion.

Miss Smith's Normal Class.

Miss Martha E. Smith is in Pensacola, Fla., at the San Carlos hotel, spending the holidays. While there Miss Smith will conduct a normal class for teachers in the Effa Ellis Perfield music teaching system.

Miss Estes Entertains:

Miss Lucy Estes will entertain a few friends at an informal dance tonight at her home on Kirkwood road. The house will be decorated in holiday colors. Miss Estes will be assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. J. M. Estes, and her sister, Mrs. Mason.

Y. W. C. A. Sunday Vesper Service.

The Young Women's Christian association, fourth floor Peachtree Arcade, will keep open house Sunday afternoon, December 28, from 3 to 7. At 4 o'clock a vesper service will be held. Mrs. Hartwell Spain will make the vesper talk. The Blue Ribbon club of the Y. W. will be hostesses for the afternoon. There will be an informal musical program and tea will be served. The public is invited to be present. Especially are young girls and women of the city asked to be at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon and bring their young men friends.

For Miss Rivere.

Miss Ethel Aram entertained at a buffet supper Christmas night in honor of Miss Elizabeth Rivere, of Columbus, Ga., the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Branham. Miss Aram received her guests wearing a flame-colored gown, and Miss Rivere wore black velvet.

After supper dancing was enjoyed The guests were Misses Rivere, Ouida Burr, Catherine Nash, Mr. Clarence Pearce, Marton Nash, Joseph Williams, Wiley Burwell and Edwin Gilliam.

Miss Rivere Entertains.

Miss Elizabeth Rivere entertained a few friends Friday night at Overlook, the home of her grandparents Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Branham. Miss Rivere wore a gown of black velvet and tulle. The invited guests were Misses Catherine Nash, Ethel Aram, Edward Gilliam, Clarence Pearce, Marion Nash, Francis Baldwin and Joseph Williams.

FASHION HINT



One-piece frock with loose waist and girdle of satin threads overhanging part of skirt. Black velvet hat with brushed feathers and fur neck collar complete this stunning winter gown.

HOUSEHOLD QUIZ

By Alice Gitchell Kirk.

No. 1—What solid color floor covering is becoming very popular for use in every room in the house?

No. 2—What country has for years held the reputation of making the finest butter in the world?

No. 3—Do you know the content of the three baking powders in general use?

No. 4—What are the usual forms of commercial yeast?

No. 5—What is the standard for perfect pastry?

No. 6—What is the most hospitable feature in any living room?

No. 7—Where is the third largest collection of cook books in the United States and how many?

Answers to Yesterday's Questions.

No. 1—It is economy to wet any coal or slack when shoveling into bins in the home to keep down the dust. Wetting the coal when ready to use also prevents puffing or light explosions. Steam arising from the water mixed with coal gases serves to promote a more complete combustion, consumes a large portion of smoke, and produces more heat with less fuel consumption.

No. 2—Skim milk has all the food value of whole milk, except the butter fats which have been removed in the cream, and is most valuable for cooking purposes.

No. 3—An attic or any other cool dry place is where all nuts should be kept so they will not become rancid during the winter months.

No. 4—The materials necessary for a home-made fireless cooker are, first, the outside container; any good-sized bucket with a tight cover (a butter firkin or a wooden candy bucket). Second, packing material, such as excelsior, ground cork, sawdust, crumpled and hard-packed newspapers, or any other non-conducting material that can be packed closely. This packing forming a nest for the cooking vessel. Third, the nest lining of a sheet of asbestos for sides and bottom and a metal or enamel bucket, which will hold the cooking vessel and supporting the packing material which should be at least three inches thick on the bottom and sides. Fourth, the best kind of alumium, enamel or granite cooking vessels of several sizes.

No. 5—Tarragon vinegar, made from the flavor of tarragon leaves, which have a decided pungent taste, is used in all mayonnaise for meat and fish salads.

No. 6—To make light baking powder biscuit use equal measures of pastry and bread flour; baking powder for leavening; not too large an amount of shortening, and an oven for baking of a quick temperature that will not allow them to brown until they have raised to their full height.

No. 7—Aluminum is kept perfectly clean when ordinarily in use by giving it the best of care in washing the utensils in hot soapsuds and rinsing in hot water. Stains may be removed by using steel wool or any one of the finely powdered cleansers which may be purchased at any first-class house-furnishing store.

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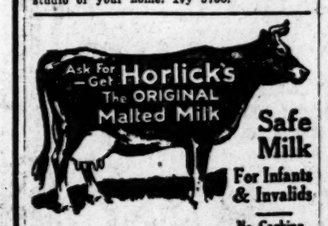
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Christmas Dinner-Dance At East Lake.

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the holiday season was the annual Christmas dinner-dance at the East Lake Country club. The club was beautifully decorated with pines and cedars and holiday bells. In the afternoon about 200 children whose parents were members of the club assembled for the Christmas tree and Santa Claus was there with presents and fruits and candies. Among those entertaining for the dinner-dance were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burkhalter, who entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mentzer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rowe and Mrs. L. H. Burkhalter, of Americus, Ga. At a table were Miss Helen Whitehurst, Miss Ruth Felker, Mr. Bernard Neal, Mr. Steve Hartney, Mr. Shorty Davidson, Miss Elanore Odum and Mr. Duke Bailey. Mr. Linton Buchanan entertained Miss Virginia Carter, of Baltimore; Miss Lola Buchanan and Mr. A. V. Lewis. Mr. Henry Kuhrt entertained Miss Elizabeth Martin, Miss Estelle Holt and Mr. John McCaslin. Mr. Boykin Pennington entertained Miss Harriet Bayley, Miss Kate Law, Mr. Bob Taylor and Mr. Jim Law, of Gadsden, Ala. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunn entertained a large party. Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Kinnard entertained Mr. and Mrs. Walter House, Mrs. G. L. Harris and Mr. Walter Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mathers entertained Mr. and Mrs. Increase Mathers, Miss Lottie Mosley, of Austell, and their daughter, Belva. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spillain entertained Miss Cade Coggins, Miss Frances Brown, Miss Margaret Brown, Colonel Courtney Hodges, Mr. Jack Winslett and Mr. Z. A. Terry. Mr. Allen Jones entertained Miss Virginia Pride. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Abbott entertained Mr. and Mrs. Slocum Ball, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Beaudrey and Mr. R. B. Stallworth. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Reiley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Guy Whittenton. Mr. J. W. Taylor entertained Miss Elsie Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pearce. Mr. R. H. Martin had as his guests Miss Margaret Ranson, Miss Mildred Winston, Miss Mary Jones, Miss Venice Mayson, Mr. Jack Toland, Mr. Charles Daniell, Mr. T. A. Chenev and Mr. T. B. Higdon. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Lavery, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. House and Mr. H. Ormond, Jr., of Gallatin, Tenn., dined together. Mr. G. W. Nix entertained in honor of Miss Rachel Bancher, of Columbia, S. C. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shearer entertained Mr. and Mrs. Duval Brown, Miss Loraine Brown and Mrs. W. D. Shearer. Mr. Harry Dobbs had as his guests Miss Margaret Yeaner, of Knoxville; Miss Maude Couch, Miss Warren, of Richmond; Mr. Nat Thornton, Mr. Thomas Hull and Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelley, of Greenville.

Complimenting Mrs. Whitten.

Mrs. Frances Whitten, of Wilmington, Del., will be the central figure at a luncheon, given in her honor by Mrs. J. Frank Meador, at the Piedmont Driving club, Tuesday, December 30, at 1 o'clock.

Covers will be laid for Mrs. Whitten, Mrs. Meador, Mrs. E. C. Peters, Mrs. W. W. Banks, Mrs. William Kiser, Mrs. John Grant, Mrs. Ulric Atkinson, Mrs. Frank Boland, Mrs. Hugh Richardson, Mrs. Charles P. King, Mrs. Eugene Black, Mrs. Robert Alston, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. Robert Adger Smythe, Mrs. Edward McGerge, Mrs. James T. Williams, Mrs. Charles Selple, Mrs. Albert Howell, Mrs. John Murphey, Mrs. James Hickey, Mrs. John Sanders, of Texas; Mrs. George Dexter, Mrs. Edgar McBurney, Mrs. William Baily Lamar and Mrs. John S. Cohen.

Dancing Party.

A delightful occasion of the Christmas season was the dancing party given by Mrs. Samuel Clifton Orr at her home in Ansley park last evening for her daughters, Misses Miram and Dorothy Orr. Seventy-five guests were entertained.

Imperial Potentate Of Shriners Will Visit Atlanta Soon

The occasion of the first official visit to Atlanta of Imperial Potentate Vreeland Kendrick, of Philadelphia, which is scheduled for February 9, is to be made a notable event in local Shrinedom. Mr. Kendrick will be attended by members of his staff.

Henry Heinz, recently elected potentate of Yaarab temple, said Friday that arrangements are being made for a mammoth celebration of this occasion in which all Shriners of Atlanta and north Georgia will be invited to participate.

David W. Crosland, of Montgomery, imperial captain of the guard, is expected to be one of the imperial potentate's party. From here they will go to Jacksonville.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. W. P. Dunn and son, Blackman Dunn III., of Ansley park, have just returned from Nashville, Tenn., where they went to attend the wedding of Mr. Dunn's niece, Miss Rowena Carter, and Mr. W. T. Bailey. Mrs. Dunn was matron of honor in the wedding. Mrs. Bailey as Miss Rowena Carter has many friends in Atlanta, having made frequent visits to her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dunn. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey passed through Atlanta en route to Havana, Cuba, and were entertained while here by Mr. W. P. Dunn.

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Mrs. Edgar Paullin and her daughter, Miss Caroline Paullin, are in Miami, Fla., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Frederick, the parents of Mrs. Paullin, for two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Evans Robson and little daughter, Jane, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Evans Robson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, in Columbus.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Smith are spending the holiday with relatives in Anniston, Ala.

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Mr. J. B. Hall is spending the holidays with relatives in Farmville, Ala.

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Mrs. J. B. Pearce and Miss Ruby Hall left Friday to visit relatives in Alexandria, Ala.

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Mr. L. T. Wyndham is in Charleston, S. C., where he is spending the holidays with his parents.

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Miss Ruth Cunningham next week will leave Griffin, where she is visiting Miss Jacksonia Watts, who is at home for the holidays, after having been attending college at Vassar. Miss Cunningham will attend the marriage of Miss Charlotte Boyd and Mr. Cater Woolford, which takes place next week.

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A basketball game will be featured at the Atlanta Athletic club this evening, the sponsors to be Miss Olga Freeman for the home team and Miss Margaret Pratt for the visiting team from Spartanburg, S. C. An informal dance will follow the game.

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Miss Sarah Converse, of St. Paul, is spending the holidays with her mother at the home of Mrs. J. H. Dunbar, on West Peachtree street.

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Misses Martha and Mittie Smith are spending the holidays in Pensacola, Fla. They are registered at the San Carlos.

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Mrs. Nathaniel Baxter, of Nashville, arrives today to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Robert F. Maddox.

Music Study Club Concert on Tuesday.

A concert by some of Atlanta's leading musicians, having as its principal feature the singing of Liza Lehmann's "From a Persian Garden," will be given on Tuesday evening at Egleston Memorial hall under the auspices of the Atlanta Music Study club.

This concert is one of a series of evening events which have been arranged especially for the male members of the club and others who are unable to take full advantage of the morning programs which are given on alternate Wednesday mornings.

The Tuesday evening concert is the only public musical event of the holiday season and it is expected that a large attendance will be present. Admission will be by membership card, or in event that non-members desire to join, membership cards will be issued at the door upon the payment of yearly dues amounting to two dollars.

"From a Persian Garden" is a musical setting of many of the famous quatrains from Omar, and the work is widely known because of several of the airs which are exceptionally beautiful. Among these is "Ah, Moon of My Delight," made known to local musical audiences by John McCormack.

In addition to this there will also be a piano concerto from Rubinstein played by Mrs. W. J. Morrison and Miss Eda Bartholomew. Miss Lula Clark King, a well-known local music teacher, is in charge of the program.

Hardwick-Rawlings.

The marriage of Miss Mary Hardwick to Dr. Frederick Bangs Rawlings, of Sandersville, will be an event of interest, taking place at All Saints' Episcopal church today at 1 o'clock, Dr. W. W. Memminger officiating.

Mr. William Frederick Rawlings will act as best man for his brother, Dr. Rawlings, and the bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father, ex-Senator Thomas William Hardwick. After a wedding trip in the east, Dr. Rawlings and his bride-elect will reside at Sandersville, Ga.

Among the out-of-town guests will be Mrs. Hardwick's sisters, Miss Gertrude Perkins and Miss Sarah Perkins, and her niece, Miss Mildred Perkins, of Augusta; Miss Marie Brown and Miss Mary Tarbutton of Sandersville; the groom's father, Judge B. T. Rawlings; his sister, Miss Winifred Rawlings, and Dr. William Rawlings, his uncle, from Sandersville.

BEAUTY CHATS

BY EDNA KENT FORBES

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Reducing the Abdomen

If there's anything worse to see than a man carrying about a huge abdomen, it is a woman in the same misshapen condition. Fortunately—for the women—a huge collection of fat over the stomach is less easily forgiven in them. So the number of women who permit themselves to grow out of shape is kept down, somewhat, by vanity.

If you have a large stomach or abdomen, you weigh too much and you must reduce. Of course, the best way is to diet, but I've talked diet so much, I'd rather, for today, give some exercises that will act directly upon the abdomen, to reduce it.

Massage with the hands is excellent, but you must be careful not to do it hard enough to injure yourself, nor yet so gently that you do no good at all. Here's a simple exercise you might like—

Sit easily on a chair, your feet touching the floor. Lean first to one side touching the floor with both hands, then to the other, likewise, touching the floor with the hands. Repeat several times. This also stimulates sluggish elimination by pressing the abdomen against the thighs, so breaking up any constipated condition. Of course, you must not wear corsets while exercising.

Almost any exercise which causes a rotation of the body at the waist, will reduce a fat abdomen. Bending the trunk forward and back, rotating the hips, rotating the trunk above the waist and keeping the hips and legs as immovable as possible, all have this effect. None of these exercises are at all difficult to do. I would say that 10 or 15 minutes daily should be devoted to them.

Questions and Answers.

Dorothea—You should weigh about 125 pounds. With brown hair and eyes the most becoming colors you could wear would be brown, tan, canary yellow, all the new shades of red and orange, as well as pastel pinks. Let your nails grow fairly long, then begin to file them to a nicely shaped oval.

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Annoyed—I would advise you not to use any soap on the chin until the skin has stopped pealing. Use cold cream twice a day, and if, after a month the condition has not improved, ask your doctor what the trouble is.

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Gertrude N.—I would advise you to see your physician and have him give you a blood tonic. It is likely that you are somewhat anemic.

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J. M. P.—Send me a letter with a self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for the hair tonic formula.

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Curly Head—You will not stop growing for several years. You are 17 pounds overweight.

WARM WEATHER ON TODAY'S PROGRAM

One of the finest Christmas presents received by Atlanta has been the splendid weather which has prevailed for the last few days. And the weather man promises more of it.

Warmer weather is predicted for the southern and eastern portions of the state for Saturday morning. Shipments going out should be prepared to withstand temperature around freezing.

Atlanta has not been the only place to enjoy good weather since the weather map shows that the entire country has had good weather. No really cold weather is reported in any section.

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Society

Mr. and Mrs. Choate Give Buffet Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Choate entertained at a buffet supper on Wednesday evening at their home in Ansley park. The decorations were carried out in holly and the central decoration was a bowl filled with rich fruits. Encircling this were crimson tapers in silver candlesticks. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peck Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Starke, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Choate and Dr. and Mrs. Spencer Stone.

Dinner Given To Bridal Party.

Mrs. Leon Bouzigues' dinner party Thursday evening was a pretty affair in compliment to her daughter Miss Helen Bouzigues, and Mr. Llewellyn A. Luce, of Washington, D. C., whose marriage will be an event of Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Christmas decorations of holly and mistletoe were effectively combined with many pretty potted plants throughout the house. In the dining room, the table had as a central decoration a tall vase of red carnations and feathery fern. The color scheme of red and green was also carried out in the bon bons and ices.

Mrs. Bouzigues wore midnight blue satin. Miss Bouzigues wore a beautiful gown of black satin, beaded in jet, and trimmed with ostrich and touches of French blue.

Miss Annie Mae Tauman wore a gown of blue Georgette crepe, beaded, over flesh-colored satin.

After the dinner, the rehearsal for the wedding took place.

Better Equipment Needed for Heroes At Soldiers' Home

Following a visit which he paid to the Confederate Soldiers' home Wednesday delivering a present to the veterans collected by "ten cent" Bill Yopp, the old Dublin negro, who for many years past has solicited a dime from all of his acquaintances in honor of his former master, William Yopp, in order to give the old soldiers a little spending money for Christmas, Governor Dorsey declared yesterday that he would probably make an effort in the near future to secure better equipment for the hospital ward there.

The governor's attention was called by Superintendent William E. McAllister, of the home, to the lack of equipment in the hospital ward, whereby the sick veterans are put to considerable discomfort and inconvenience. The equipment needed consists of call bells, electric lights so arranged that patients may turn them on and off at will; rugs on the floor and something that will give the ward a cheerier aspect such as pictures or flowers.

As things now stand, a veteran sick in bed can summon assistance only by calling out. He is compelled to lie in bed either with a light shining in his eyes or in darkness. There is no trained nurse to attend to his wants and the loneliness of the night is sometimes terrible.

If the appropriation from the state is insufficient to secure the needed equipment, the governor will probably call the situation to the attention of the Daughters and Sons of the Confederacy and other patriotic organizations.

The legislature at its last session passed a bill effective next year which gives each veteran $1 per month for spending money. This will take the place of the Christmas collection which has been taken up for them for years past by the faithful old negro, Bill Yopp.

"Would you marry a man for his money?"

"Well, I can't say positively, but if I were to I should take good care not to let him know tha twas the reason."—Detroit Free Press.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Miss Virginia Gasson is in Gadsden, Ala., for the holidays.

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Lieutenant Paul Bouzigues arrived Wednesday from Camp Jackson, to be the guest of his mother until the wedding of his sister, Miss Helen Bouzigues, and Mr. Llewellyn A. Luce, which will be an event of Saturday.

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Miss Vivian Ellis, of Paris, Texas, arrived yesterday to visit relatives. She will be one of the out-of-town guests at the Bouzigues-Luce wedding Saturday.

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Miss Mamie L. Pitts is spending the holidays in Calhoun with her mother, Mrs. N. E. Pitts.

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Miss Katie Ozmer is with relatives in Lithonia for the holidays.

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Miss Gussie Fraser has gone to Savannah to visit her mother, who is spending the winter there.

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Miss Mae Evans and Miss Nan Alice Rogers, of West End, are visiting Miss Mabel Young, in Canton, Georgia.

Christmas at Gordon

Twelve hundred soldiers gathered on Christmas eve at the service auditorium, where an enormous Christmas tree, resplendent with gayly-colored candles, greeted them. The great building was cheerfully decorated throughout with crepe streamers and evergreens; Mrs. Preston S. Arkwright, of the Atlanta chapter of the Red Cross, assisted by Willis Prout, of the local Red Cross, had spent days on decorations alone.

The consolidated band of the fifth division played gay music throughout the evening. Addresses by Major J. E. Haywood, camp recreation officer, and by Mrs. Arkwright, were followed by a speech by the camp commander, Brigadier General Wilds P. Richardson. An interesting program of recitations and songs was given by the ladies of the Overseas Club of Atlanta, with numbers by Miss Louise Darrough, a young lady who already had a warm place in the hearts of the Esch men, and by Miss Teressa Thrower. Then stockings full of good things—oranges, apples, nuts, candy and everything—and cigars were passed around to all. No one was forgotten; a bountiful supply was saved for the guards and for the prisoners in the hospital.

Then the entertainers proceeded to the camp hospital, where a second Christmas tree had been prepared for the sick and the hospital personnel, arrangements being in charge of Mrs. Glenwood Giddings and the young ladies of her Sunday school class.

Tree for Children.

On Christmas day all the children of the post, some fifty or sixty in number, were assembled for an old-time army Christmas tree, in charge of Chaplain Stull, of the Eleventh infantry. Presents of good things were handed to the youngsters and a joyous and merry crowd it was who had been to see Santa Claus himself.

Those who spent Christmas in camp enjoyed spreads from Uncle Sam's bounty, Christmas dinners long to be remembered. The Christmas menu of the First battalion, Sixtieth infantry, is typical of the good things had:

Roast turkey and oyster dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce.

Creamed mashed potatoes, candied yams.

Olives and celery.

Chocolate layer cake, cocoanut layer cake.

Pumpkin pie, mincemeat pie.

Oranges, apples, candies, mixed nuts, cigars and cigarettes.

Ice cream and coffee.

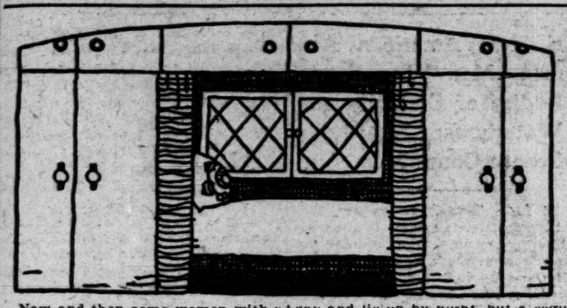
Argentine Strike Spreads.

Buenos Aires, December 26.—The strike on the Argentine state railroad, which began in the province of Jujuy in the extreme north, has extended to the provinces of Santa Fe and Salta and the territory of Chaco. Trains are operating on delayed schedules, guarded by troops. Night service has been suspended.

:: Your Home and You ::

BY HELEN KENDALL

The Peasant Bed



Now and then some women with a genuine gift for home-making comes along and does something so utterly charming that I should think every interior decorator in the country would gnash her teeth (or his) with envy. The woman who shuts her eyes to the "correct" thing uses her imagination, and partitions her rooms to suit herself can often give cards and spades to any architect or decorator that ever lived.

Here was a woman—the heroine of this story—who had to solve the problem of combining a sitting room and a bedroom in a long narrow city space with no closets in it! The concealed bed in the living room is an old story—any one can do that; but no closet! How in the world could she live without closet space?

Now, every time she went to a play and saw a peasant interior with the bed built in the side of the wall and hung with curtains she longed for a peasant bed of her own. As she studied her long narrow room she saw a way to get her peasant bed, have plenty of closets, and at the same time cut off some of the tunnel-like narrowness of her room. A glance at the sketch will show you how she did it. Into the space beneath the window she placed her bed—(none of your "cots," those single, slimsy affairs that you sit on by day and lie on by night, but a regular full-sized bed, with a nice white pillow 'n everything)—with enough space at the foot to get around it to make it up. Above it and around it she had closets built, great deep closets that would hold gowns and trunks and hat boxes and shoes. Panelled doors painted to match the woodwork, with old - fashioned latches to open them with, concealed a complete dressing room equipment on one side. The cupboards were about 5 feet deep, which gave ample room. Shelves were built in for underwear and bed linen, and every convenience known to the heart of woman was installed. The upper cupboards held suitcases and boxes to do up gifts in, and the whole unsightly array of necessaries that one usually has no place for.

Before the bed, in its niche, hung peasant curtains of the very shade of dusky red that she had so liked on the stage. They could be drawn across the recess when desired, and still the bed was well-aired from the latticed window. A peasant coverlet of soft dull colors was sometimes used in place of the snowy counterpane. A contrivance it was, all told, that was both convenient and decorative; and what home-maker could ask more?

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The Further Adventures of Jimmie Dale

BY FRANK L. PACKARD

Author of "The Miracle Man," "The Wire Devils," "The Adventures of Jimmie Dale," Etc.

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(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.)

Jimmie Dale replaced the receiver on the hook, and, running now across the floor, unlocked the door, crossed the hall, and entered his dressing room. Here, he changed his dinner clothes for a dark tweed suit—the location of Niccolo Sonnino's place of business was in a neighborhood where one in evening dress, to say the least of it, would not go unobserved—transferred the metal case and the articles he had taken from the safe to the pockets of the tweed suit, and descended the stairs.

Standing in the hallway, Jason, that model of efficiency, with an appraising glance at his master's changed attire, handed Jimmie Dale a soft hat—and opened the door.

"Benson is outside, Master Jim," said Jason; but the look in the old man's eyes was eloquent far beyond the respectful and studied quiet of his words. The old face was pale and grave with anxiety.

"It's all right, Jason—all right this time," Jimmie Dale smiled reassuringly.

"Thank you, sir," said Jason, in a low voice. "I hope so, sir. And, begging your pardon, Master Jim, sir, I pray God it is."

And for answer Jimmie Dale smiled again, and passed down the steps, and entered the car. But the smile was gone as he leaned back in his seat after giving Benson his directions—speed, and a corner a few blocks away from Chatham Square—he was not so sure that it was all right. It was entirely a question of time. Given the time and the opportunity—Niccolo Sonnino out of the road, for instance—given twenty minutes ahead of Claire Archman and Gentleman Laroque, it would be simple enough. But otherwise—his lips thinned—otherwise, he did not know. Otherwise, there was promise of strange, grim work before daylight came, work that might lead him out of necessity to the role of Smarlinghue, and as Smarlinghue—anywhere. He did not know; he knew only one thing—that, at any cost, if it lay within any power of his to prevent it, David Archman should not live a broken man.

The car speeded its way rapidly along in a downtown direction, Benson keeping, wherever possible, to the unfrequented streets. Jimmie Dale, busy with his problem, his mind shifting and turning this way and that the curious, and in some cases apparently conflicting details of the Tocsin's letter, paid little attention to his surroundings, save to note approvingly from time to time that a request to Benson to hurry was equivalent to something perilously near to a contempt of speed laws. It still seemed incredible that Claire Archman was a thief, a safe-tapper, even if but an amateur at. The boy must have traveled a pace of late that was fast and furious. How had he ever become intimate enough with Gentleman Laroque to be associated with the other in such a crime as this? How had Laroque come to play a part in the miserable scheme of trickery that was the Private Club Ring's last card.

Jimmie Dale shook his head helplessly at the first question—and shook it again at the second. He knew Laroque—and he knew him for one of the most degraded, as well as one of the most dreaded, gang leaders in crimeland. Laroque, in unvarnished language, was a devil, and, worse still, a most callous devil. Laroque stood first and all the time for Laroque. If murder would either further or safeguard Laroque's personal interest, Laroque was the sort of man who would stop only to consider, not whether the murder should be committed, but the method that might best be employed in order to implicate as little as possible one Laroque! Also, to those in the secrets of the underworld, Gentleman Laroque added to his accomplishments, or had done so before he rose to the eminence of gang leader, the profession of "box-worker"—not a very clever exponent of the art, crude perhaps in his methods, but at the same time efficacious, as a dozen breaks and looted safes in the years gone by bore ample witness.

Grimly whimsical came Jimmie Dale's smile. Gentleman Laroque would have made a very much better "confidence" man than safe-worker. The man was suave, polished when he wanted to be, educated; he possessed all the requisites, and, in abundance, the prime requisite of all—a cunning that was the cunning of a fox. This might even have explained his acquaintanceship with Claire Archman, except for the fact that it did not explain Claire Archman's co-operation in a premeditated robbery with anyone!

Again Jimmie Dale shook his head—and there came another question, one for which no answer, even of a suggestive nature, had been supplied in the Tocsin's letter. Why had Niccolo Sonnino's safe been selected as the one especial and desirable nut to crack? He knew Niccolo Sonnino, too, in a general way, as all who resided near or had any dealings in the neighborhood where Sonnino lived, knew the man. True, combined with a small trade in jewelry and precious stones, the former cheap and the latter of an inferior grade to fit the purse of his customers, the man was a money-lender—but in an equally small way. Loans of minor amounts, a very few dollars as a maximum, was probably the extent of Sonnino's ventures along this line. Sonnino himself was a crafty little man, but craftiness, if it did not transgress the law, was not a crime; he was undoubtedly a usurer in his petty way, and he was both feared and disliked, but beyond that no one pretended to know anything about him. Ordinarily Sonnino's safe then might be expected to be rather a barren affair, hardly a lure for a Gentleman Laroque brand of crook! Why, then, Sonnino's safe tonight? What was in that latter signed "J. Barca" that Claire Archman had received? J. Barca was Gentleman Laroque; that would have been evident in any case, even if the Tocsin had not expressly said so—but the letter! Did the letter, apart from its incriminating ingenuity, supply the answer to his question? Had Sonnino, for instance, by some lucky turn, disposed of his stock in bulk, and was thus for the moment in possession of an unusually large amount of cash; or, inversely, had Sonnino received an unusual stock of stones? Either of these theories, and equally neither one of them, might furnish the answer! Jimmie Dale shrugged his shoulders grimly. He would find the answer—in Sonnino's safe! One thing, however, one thing that might have had some bearing on Laroque's choice, one thing for which he, Jimmie Dale, was grateful to Laroque for making such a choice, was that Sonnino's place lent itself admirably to attack—from the standpoint of the attacker! A black courtyard, screened completely from the street; a house that—

Jimmie Dale looked up suddenly, and, as suddenly, leaning forward, he touched Benson's shoulder. They were just approaching a restaurant and music hall known as "The Sphinx," that was popular for the moment with the slumming parties from uptown.

"This will do. You may let me out here at The Sphinx, Benson," he said quietly; and then, as the car stopped: "I shall not be long, Benson—perhaps half an hour—wait for me."

Benson touched his cap. Jimmie Dale ran up the steps of the restaurant, entered, threaded his way through several crowded rooms where the midnight revelry was in full swing—and passed out of the place by a convenient rear exit that gave on the adjoining cross street. The car standing in front of The Sphinx would attract no notice; and he was now on the same street as Sonnino's place, and only two short blocks away.

He started forward from the restaurant door—and paused, struggling with a refractory match in an effort to light a cigarette. A man brushed by him, making for the restaurant door, a tall, wiry-built, swarthy, sharp-featured man—and Jimmie Dale flipped the stub of his match away from him, and went on. Sonnino himself! There was luck then at the start—the coast was clear!

(CONTINUED TOMORROW.)

Upshaw to Lecture At Chamblee Church Sunday Afternoon

Hon. W. D. Upshaw, congressman from the Atlanta district, will deliver an address next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the new Chamblee Baptist church, situated in Camp Gordon near the town of Chamblee.

Congressman Upshaw's topic will be "Humanity's Greatest Victory, or the Sunny Side of the War."

It is expected that a large crowd of soldiers will be inattendance as well as many civilians. The public is invited. The lecture to be given is one that is in great demand on the lyceum platform and for which Mr. Upshaw ordinarily is handsomely paid. However, the soldiers and civilians are to be given the favor of a free lecture.

Those from the city desiring to attend should atke the Camp Gordon car to the camp. The church is located on Peachtree road and Hood avenue, inside the camp, just a short distance from the car line.

CHECK FOR $18,349.20 PAID INTO SCHOOL FUND

A check for $18,349.20, a portion of the state school fund of approximately $131,000 due as the Atlanta schools' quota, was paid over to the treasurer of the board of education Friday by M. L. Brittain, superintendent of schools, and was turned over to the Atlanta National bank, which had advanced sufficient money on the state school fund to enable the schools to remain open in December.

This is the second installment of the state funds received by the board, the first payment, made a month ago, being a check for $13,150. The next payment is expected to be made the latter part of January.

CASH PRIZES OPPOSED FOR THE AVIATORS

Washington, December 26.—Withdrawal of cash prizes awarded winners in the transcontinental air race and the substitution of suitable trophies is requested by General Menoher, director of air service, in a letter to the president of the American Flying club. The request was made, he said, in the best interests of the service.

:: :: Home Cooking :: ::

BY MRS. M. A. WILSON

Queen Victoria's Former Cuisiniere

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My Dear Mrs. Wilson: Will you kindly suggest a luncheon menu for 125 ladies at a district meeting in a church, which will include at least one hot food and which will be as inexpensive as possible?—S. E. B.

Menu for 125 Ladies.

Fruit cocktail
Chicken a la king
Baked potatoes
Asparagus salad
Ice cream Coffee

Fruit Cocktail.

One and one-half dozen apples,
Two dozen oranges,
Two dozen bananas,
Two pounds of dried apricots, cooked until soft,
One and one-half pounds of cocoanut,
One large bottle of maraschino cherries.

Pare the apples, oranges and bananas and then dice. Sprinkle over the cocoanut and then toss gently to mix. Now pour over the syrup from the cherries. Cut cherries into tiny bits and add. Wash and cover the apricots the day before with warm water and then stew gently until tender. Turn in a sieve and let drain. Cut into bits and add to the prepared fruit. Serve in sherbet or cocktail glasses.

Chicken a la King.

Select plump stewing chickens and then singe and drain. Steam gently until tender and then remove the skin. When the meat is ready, cut from the bones in one inch blocks. Peal and cut both stems and caps of the mushrooms into small pieces, parboil five minutes. Cut one dozen green peppers in one-half inch pieces. Cut three tall cans of pimentoes into small pieces.

Now place in a large kettle:
Fifteen quarts of milk,
Three quarts of sifted flour.

Stir with wire beater to dissolve thoroughly and then bring to a boil and cook for ten minutes, slowly, season with:
Five level tablespoons of salt,
Three level tablespoons of paprika,
One level tablespoon of white pepper,
One cup of finely chopped parsley.
And then add:
Six well-beaten eggs,
The prepared chicken,
Mushrooms,
Peppers.

Stir to mix and then heat and serve. Allow one baked potato for each lady.

Asparagus Salad.

Wash eight firm heads of lettuce and lay on each plate three leaves of lettuce:
Three stalks of asparagus,
One tablespoon of French dressing.

Cut the bread nine slices to a loaf for serving under chicken a la king.

The market basket will require:
Fifteen loaves of bread, for chicken a la king,
One and one-half dozen apples,
Two dozen oranges,
Two dozen bananas,
Two pounds of dried apricots,
One-half pound of cocanut,
One large bottle of maraschino cherries,
Thirty pounds of chicken,
Two pounds of mushrooms,
One dozen green peppers,
Three cans of pimentees,
Fifteen quarts of milk,
Three pounds of flour,
One bunch of parsley,
Six eggs,
One basket of potatoes,
Eight large cans of asparagus,
Eight heads of lettuce,
Three pounds of butter,
One hundred and twenty-five rolls,
Three pounds of coffee,
Three cans of evaporated milk,
Three pounds of sugar,
Five and one-half gallons of ice cream, cut six blocks to quart.

A less expensive menu could be arranged, using the tuna fish in place of the chicken and omitting the baked potatoes.

Menu No. 2.

Orange maraschino
Virginia style baked ham
Creamed potatoes
Cole slaw
Cake Coffee

The material required for this menu would be:
Sixty-three oranges,
One large bottle of maraschino cherries,
Thirty pounds of boneless boiled ham,
One basket (thirty pounds) of potatoes,
One quart of onions,
One bunch of parsley,
Five large heads of cabbage,
Forty pounds of cake,
One and one-quarter pounds of coffee,
Three tall cans of milk,
Three pounds of sugar,
Two hundred and fifty rolls,
Three pounds of butter,
Fourteen quarts of milk or seven tall cans of evaporated milk,
Two pounds of flour.

To prepare theorange maraschino: Cut the orange in half and then cut the orange pulp free from the skin and cut into pieces. Add one teaspoon of syrup from maraschino cherry to each half of orange. Serve one-half orange as a portion.

Virginia Style Baked Ham.

Purchase a boiled boneless ham and place in baking pan.

Open one and one-half pound can of syrup and add:
Two tablespoons of cinnamon,
One tablespoon of nutmeg,
One teaspoon of allspice,
One teaspoon of cloves,
One teaspoon of ginger.

Mix well, then spread on the ham and dust lightly with the flour. Baste frequent with the syrup. Bake in a slow oven for one and one-fourth hours.

One-half pound high-grade tea may be substituted for the coffee.

400 Christmas Gifts Donated by Elks To Salvation Army

Four hundred gifts which the Elks of Atlanta had left over after they had played Santa Claus to 1,000 children gathered around a gorgeous Christmas tree at the Auditorium on Wednesday afternoon, were Friday donated to the Salvation army for distribution among any deserving families who by chance might have been overlooked in the Christmas giving.

The Elks planned for the kids on a big scale. They expected not less than 1,400 youngsters at their Christmas tree, and they were ready to laden each one with a gift. Admission to the tree was by ticket, and the city warden, school officials, the chief of police and ministers of various churches helped to find the children and get the tickets to them.

The big, brilliant Christmas tree with goodies stood in the center of the floor at the Auditorium. To prevent confusion the children were formed in single file making a circle around the entire arena.

Hurt in Wreck.

Commerce, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—H. C. Poullian, cotton broker of this place, while riding in his limousine yesterday afternoon to Athens, when near Center lost control of his car, which turned over, smashing the windshield and damaging the car. Fortunately, Mr. Poullian escaped with slight injuries.

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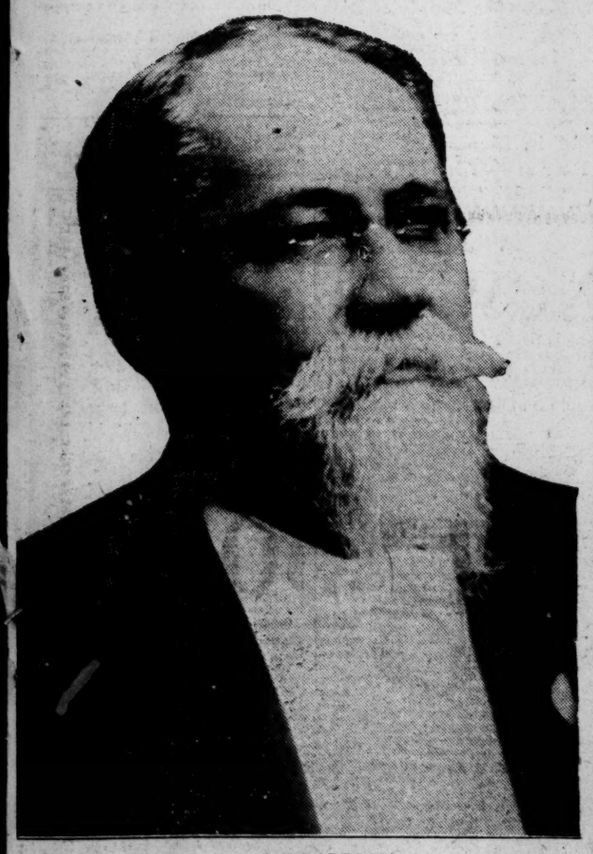
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The Southern Is Now Open for the Reception of Visitors and Enrollment of January Pupils.

Enroll now for the winter session, is the request made by the management of the Southern Shorthand and Business University, 11 Whitehall street, as an early enrollment will avoid the usual big rush on the opening day.

The Bookkeeping department has been enlarged in order to take care of the many new pupils who are arranging to begin with the winter term opening on January 2.

Enroll before that date if possible.

The big school has sent out more young men and young women into good and permanent positions during the year just closing than ever before in the history of this long established institution, and still the demand for bookkeepers and stenographers was not supplied by one-half. The need of office help is steadily increasing, therefore, young people who avail themselves of a thorough Business Training at the Southern Business College are assured of prompt and remunerative employment. Just look over the "Want Help" columns of the daily papers and note the continual demand for stenographers and bookkeepers.

Enroll now. Don't delay. Aid the registrars at the Southern by making arrangements at the earliest possible moment.

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REDS DESTROY KOLCHAK ARMY

Moscow Reports the Capture of Tomsk and Many Other Towns—Road to Irkuten Is Open.

London, December 26.—The bolsheviki have captured Tomsk and also the towns of Fastoff, Vassilkov, Krementchug, Izium, Belovodsky, Makeeveka and Kokpekhta, according to a wireless dispatch received tonight from Moscow.

The communication adds that after the capture of Tomsk the reds advanced from Novo Nikolaevsk to the main line of the trans-Siberian railroad and occupied the station of Taiga, taking an enormous amount of booty and a number of prisoners.

"The road to Krasnoyarsk and Irkutsk is now open, and admiral Kolchak's army in this region has ended its existence," says the communication.

The rebels in eastern Siberia, says a Moscow wireless dispatch, have completely severed all communications on the Amur line and Blagovieshtchensk has been completely cut off.

The dispatch adds that Galician troops intended for the defense of Kiev have revolted against General Denikine, the anti-bolshevik leader in the south, and attacked the volunteer army in the rear.

CLAIM DEFEAT OF BOLSHEVIKI.

Irkutsk, December 26.—(Russian Telegraphic Agency.)—The general staff of the all-Russian government announced today that an attempt by the bolsheviki to occupy Litvinovo station on the trans-Siberian railway, just west of Taiga, was repulsed by Siberian and Polish troops. The bolsheviki have been defeated at many points, losing machine guns and prisoners. The Siberians and Poles are in possession of the Litvinovo-Taiga region.

Insurrections by the social revolutionaries have occurred at various points in the province of Irkutsk and in Irkutsk city. The government has taken measures to put down the uprisings.

The uprising in Turkestan against the bolsheviki continues, according to a wireless message sent out by the soviet government at Moscow. The anti-bolsheviki forces have occupied the cities of Khokhan and Skobeiov, in Ferghana province, and are advancing on Tashkent.

HAWKINSVILLE MAN KILLS NEGRO BURGLAR

Hawkinsville, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Frank Harris, a negro, entered the home of L. Barron here last night and when discovered attacked Mr. Barron, who shot him nine times with an automatic, killing the negro instantly. It is thought that Harris is the same negro who broke open other dwellings here recently.

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Gen. W. R. Cox, Dixie Veteran, Into Unknown

One of Last Surviving Ranking Officers of the Confederate Army Dies at Richmond—Once Secretary of Senate.

Richmond, Va., December 26.—General William Ruffin Cox, one of last surviving ranking officers of the confederate army, died here this evening. He was extensively engaged in business in North Carolina and other southern points since the war.

Death is said to have been due to toxic poisoning brought on by old age.

General Cox had the distinction of being the last confederate officer to relinquish the fighting at Appomattox Court House, prolonging the fighting for some time after the signing of the surrender by General Lee.

Wounded eleven times during the civil war, General Cox suffered five severe wounds in one battle, but kept at the head of his brigade until he fell to the field exhausted.

Secretary of Senate.

Following the close of the war, General Cox became secretary of the United States senate, serving under both democratic and republican administrations. Later he was elected to congress from North Carolina, his home state, serving several terms. General Cox also served in numerous other capacities in his home state. At one time he was judge of the circuit court, chairman of the democratic state committee, and attorney general. He was prominently identified with the Masonic order, serving in the capacity of grand master for many years.

William Ruffin Cox was born in Scotland Neck, N. C., March 11, 1831, of English parents, he being the youngest son of the family. After an early training at Vine Hall academy at Scotland Neck he entered a preparatory school near Nashville, Tenn., and at the age of 15 years, entered Franklin college, where he graduated with distinction. He then entered Lebanon college and studied law, being admitted to the bar in Nashville in 1852. Forming a partnership with John G. Ferguson, they practiced until 1857, when General Cox returned to North Carolina.

Tiring of the plantation life, he went to Raleigh, where he opened a law office.

Spirit of war was in the air and it became more apparent daily that the forces of the north and south would clash. General Cox organized and equipped with his own funds a military company. Later he was named major of the Second North Carolina troops and his remarkable military career began.

In Command of Artillery.

After six months' training he was placed in command of the heavy artillery at Pratt's Point, on the Potomac river, and in June, 1862, his regiment was the first to cross Meadow bridge at Mechanicsville, under terrible fire. The following day, with all of his officers having fallen, Major Cox led his gallant band into the "Seven Days' Battle," one of the most famous in the civil war.

He took part in many of the other conflicts of the war and at the close joined his efforts in restoring the country to a practical peace status. Soon after he entered the political field, and there the same dominant spirit was again manifest. In 1865 he announced himself a candidate for solicitor of the Metropolitan district and was elected by a plurality of twenty-seven votes.

The deceased soon after forming a law partnership in Nashville, Tenn., was married to Kate Cabell, daughter of Henry Coalter Cabell, of Richmond. She and two sons, the latter serving with the army in France in the late war, survive.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but will be announced as soon as the two sons arrive from North Carolina.

R. M. Walmsley Dead.

New Orleans, December 26.—R. M. Walmsley, president, of the New Orleans Clearing House association, and one of the oldest bankers in the south, died at his home here today. He was born in Elkton, Md., and was 86 years old.

FUNERAL OF WIMBERLY WILL BE HELD TODAY

Honorary Escort of Macon Bar Will Attend Body.

Macon, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—The funeral of Hon. Minter Wimberly, who died here yesterday, will be held at the family residence on College street at 11 o'clock Saturday, with Rv. Robert F. Gibson, assisted by Rev. Charles H. Lee, officiating.

After the service the body will be taken to Jeffersonville on a special train of the Macon, Dublin and Savannah railroad, from which place it will be conveyed to the family burying ground at Richland cemetery.

At a called meeting today the Macon Bar association decided to attend the funeral in a body and the following were named as an honorary escort: Judge John P. Ross, Charles H. Hall, R. C. Jordan, L. D. Moore, O. A. Park, James Wimberly, Joe Hill Hall, R. K. Hines, Judge Beverly D. Evans, Judge H. A. Mathews, Judge Dupont Guerry and Judge Hugh Chambers.

NAVAL SURGEON FAILS TO KEEP WEDDING DATE

Monson, Mass., December 26.—Dr. William Grey Vermilye, of New York, a former naval surgeon, failed to appear for his wedding with Miss Ruth M. Keeney, of this place, yesterday, and today his absence was still unexplained. Miss Keeney, who resigned as professor of Spanish at Bucknell university to marry Dr. Vermilye, was reported ill at the home of her parents.

Guests at the expected wedding, who crowded the Methodist church, were dismissed by the Rev. Herbert B. Buckingham with the word that Dr. Vermilye had not been heard from since he left a New York hotel supposedly on the way to be married.

Dr. Buckingham said he and Miss Keeney's family felt Dr. Vermilye's absence was due to violence. The expected groom, he explained, had been engaged in federal service rounding up radicals since his discharge from the navy and arrived in New York last Friday from a South American trip in which he supervised the deportation to Colombia of a "red." This fact, he added, suggested the possibility of radical activities being responsible for Dr. Vermilye's non-appearance.

George L. Keeney, of this place, whose daughter, Miss Ruth, was to have been married yesterday to Dr. William G. Vermilye, of Brooklyn, N. Y., said this afternoon Dr. Vermilye had been recently in the service of the United States shipping board and that his recent trip to South America, in connection with the deportation of radicals, was in behalf of the shipping board.

New York, December 26.—Representatives here of the United States shipping board said today they had no recent knowledge of Dr. Vermilye's movements. Soon after his return from South America, where it was understood he had gone with an insane patient, his expense account was audited and he was informed that the money was waiting for him at the paymaster's office. He did not come after the money.

Dr. William Grey Vermilye called on friends in Brooklyn where he formerly lived last Tuesday to wish them "Merry Christmas," but said nothing of a prospective wedding, it was learned today. He is about 65 years of age, and a son, John Vermilye, is practicing medicine in Atlanta, it was said.

When asked Friday night if he knew of the proposed marriage of Dr. William Grey Vermilye, his son, Dr. John Vermilye, of Decatur, said that he knew nothing of contemplated marriage by his father and had never heard of Ruth Keeney.

He stated that his father was a surgeon in the navy during the war but declined to give out any other information concerning him.

JAPAN DECORATES AMERICAN ADMIRAL

San Diego, Cal., December 26.—Rear Admiral William F. Fullman, retired, received today from the emperor of Japan the decoration of the Order of the Rising Sun through the ambassador at Washington.

Admiral Fullman commanded the allied naval forces on the Pacific coast during the war and the decoration is in recognition of his work as a token of the friendship and cooperation that prevailed between the American and Japanese navies.

Army Brutality Made Bolsheviks Witness Stated

But Leo Rasch Modified Evidence When Called Second Time at the Trial of Captain Detzer.

New York, December 26.—After stating at a preliminary investigation last July that barbarous methods by the department of criminal investigation at Le Mans made bolshevists, Leo J. Rasche, of Oakland, Md., former lieutenant in the D. C. I., testified today at the trial of Captain Karl W. Detzer, on charges of cruelty, that he had only seen one prisoner mistreated while serving under the accused officer. Rasche, who was called as a witness for the defense, said he had been a member of Detzer's company from March 2, 1919, until late in July. The case of ill treatment he recalled was when Sergeant Frank Hoyt struck a prisoner, for which, he declared, Detzer had the sergeant transferred.

Under cross-examination, Rasche admitted he had made the statement about bolshevism to Lieutenant Colonel W. L. Culberson, inspector general, and that he had expressed the same opinion to Captain Detzer, Lieutenants Marlow, Flaig and Sutliff and several enlisted men.

"I stated to Captain Detzer," Rasche's earlier statement said, "that I believed this organization was making bolshevists, and that these men who had been in the trenches and had been billeted under leaky roofs in the devastated territory and had gone through all that sort of thing would naturally hold some harsh memories of their experiences in the war; that persecution and continual interference with their business in the embarkation area would add to their bitterness and general discontent and would make them anarchists and bolshevists."

Private Carl Faulkner, of Arlington, Ky., who, after having served at the Dardanelles with the British forces, joined the Second American division and became attached to the 308th military police, also denied brutal treatment had been given prisoners. He testified that they had been fed at company mess and if some had been forced at times to sleep on the floor for lack of better accommodations, so had Captain Detzer.

Captain Detzer will take the stand in his own behalf, his counsel announced today. It is expected Colonel William Rivers Pope, commandant of the Tennessee Military academy at Sweetwater, formerly provost marshal at Le Mans, also will be called by the defense.

"TIGER" LIQUOR KILLING TOPERS

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between November and December 20, according to official figures made public tonight by Chief Medical Examiner Charles Norris. Dr. Norris declared that, in his opinion, these figures did not nearly represent the full toll in deaths and sickness due to taking the poison as a beverage, as he believed that many deaths and illness reported as due to apoplexy, acute abdominal trouble, and other causes, were really caused by drinking wood alcohol concoctions.

The official figures show that only five deaths from drinking wood alcohol were reported in Manhattan for the year 1918 and only four in Brooklyn for four months prior to July 1.

Dr. Norris said that two ounces of ordinary wood alcohol were frequently sufficient to cause death and that, taken on an empty stomach, considerably less might produce blindness or even prove fatal

DENATURED ALCOHOL FATAL TO A NEGRO.

Richmond, Va., December 26.—Titus Bagby, negro, is dead here as a result of drinking denatured alcohol which poisoned him. He drank the liquor on Christmas night and became very ill, dying early this evening after suffering great agony. The coroner's report says death was due to alcoholic poisoning.

MEXICANS TRIED TO HIDE MURDER

Of Two American Airmen—Man Who Found Bodies of Connolly and Waterhouse Heard by Senate Committee.

El Paso, Texas, December 26—Mexican officials sought to suppress facts concerning the murder of American aviators, Lieutenants Cecil Connolly and Frederick Waterhouse, whose bodies were found buried in the sand on the Baya de Los Angeles, Lower California, according to testimony at a hearing today. The testimony was given by Joe Allen Richards, of Chicago, the American who discovered the bodies on September 21. The hearing was conducted by Major Dan M. Jackson, of El Paso, secretary of the senate sub-committee investigating Mexican affairs. The sub-committee will formally open its hearings on the border next month at San Antonio. None of the committee members was present today.

Richards testified to finding the bodies when he landed from a Mexican steamer to get water. He said the captain of the steamer warned him not to make public his discovery and was arrested at Santa Rosalie on September 26, because he had not kept his discovery to himself.

Stabbed to Death

According to Richards' testimony Connolly was stabbed to death and Waterhouse evidently died from a broken skull, caused by impact from a heavy iron bar found near the bodies. Richards accompanied the expedition on the United States destroyer Ward which recovered the bodies.

Richards discovered the bodies September 21 last on the beach of the Baya de Los Angeles when he went ashore from a little Mexican steamer to aid in replenishing their water supply of the boat.

According to his testimony today Richards was arrested by the Mexican authorities at Santa Rosalia when he arrived there September 25 for his action in reporting the discovery of the bodies to the master of the American steamer Providencia, which was in the harbor of Santa Rosalia at the time. He said he was kept in a cell for more than a day. Before he was put in the cell Richards said he was stripped of all cothing.

Richards testified at a hearing conducted by Major Dan M. Jackson, of El Paso, secretary of the senate subcommittee. None of the senate members of the committee was present.

Uncovered the Bodies.

Richards said he first discovered an offensive odor while walking the beach waiting for the Mexican crew of the boat on which he was traveling to return from a spring with their water casks. He saw a mound and digging with a shell, uncovered a skull. He continued his exploration and came upon a leather belt. Pulling at the boot he uncovered the entire body and continued work brought the other body to light.

Richards accompanied the expedition that went to Lower California aboard the destroyer Ward from San Diego to recover the bodies and airplane and said testimony given to army and navy officers aboard the Ward by Mexican residents of the country and by the crew of the Mexican steamer Esperanta was to the effect that the Americans were murdered. Equipment of the airplane was found aboard the esperanta when that boat was overhauled and made fast to the Ward, accordingtoRichards. The airplane was found 20 miles from the bodies.

The Esperanta was seized when a Mexican ashore told American officers this boat had brought the aviators to the bay for water from their airplane.

Animals Attacked Bodies.

Wild animals had attacked the bodies of the aviators, according to Richards, who were buried only under six inches of sand when he found them. Flesh rom the upper part of their bodies had been eaten away, he said.

In the rough grave Richards said he found a bar of iron two feet long. The skull of Waterhouse had been crushed, he said, and Connolly's body and clothing indicated he had been stabbed.

Richards related warnings he alleged were made by the Mexican captain of the boat on which he traveled down the Gulf of California against reporting discovery of the bodies.

Richards told of the notes to their families left by the aviators and markings on the airplane wings which indicated they had been there 17 days and had been forced to drink water from their radiator, all the time steadily losing strength and hope of rescue.

MEXICO STILL HOLDS AMERICAN SAILORS.

Mexico City, December 26.—Hilario Medina, in charge of the Mexican foreign office, declared today in answer to a question that the two American sailors arrested at Mazatlan for assault upon a Mexican citizen were, so far as the foreign office knew, still held there under provisions of the Mexican common law.

Senator Medina said the foreign office had asked the Mazatlan authorities for further particulars regarding the case and asserted the American embassy had made no further move relative to the incident since it had handed its first communication to the foreign office.

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288 Law Offenders Faced Aftermath of Xmas Holidays

288 offenders of the law, some serious and others of a trivial nature, faced the aftermath of a grand and glorious, safe and almost sane Christmas celebration before the tribunal of the law known as Judge Johnson's matinee, or the recorder's court, Friday morning and afternoon.

This large array of cases appearing before Recorder Johnson were mostly of a trivial nature. Many Christmas drunks appeared, and a large number of disturbers of peaceful slumber were tried for discharging fire Arms within the city limits.

Although Christmas 1919 was a very sane one in comparison with others, many petty violators of the law made the police docket overflow with records of cases, and also filled the station house with prisoners. The only gun play called to the attention of the police took place Christmas night at Courtland and Bell streets when Ting Jones and Joe McWhorter, both colored, staged a duel in the streets.

Both men were carried to Grady hospital and their wounds dressed. McWhorter was detained at Grady for further treatment and Jones was carried to police station where a case was made against him. Neither sustained serious injuries.

Several cases for reckless driving of automobiles, exceeding the speed limit and operating an automobile while intoxicated were tried before the recorder Friday.

Drunks made up the largest number of the cases while disorderly conduct came in a close second. Judge Johnson assessed his customary fine of $6 for a "plain drunk" and $11 for a "fancy drunk." According to Gordon Hurtell, for many years clerk of the court, Friday was one of the busiest days he had witnessed since he had become connected with the court.

The stimulus of the Christmas holidays has put the year's volume of police court cases 5,028 ahead of the 1918 total. Something over 22,000 cases already have been registered during 1919. According to Chief of Police Beavers, Atlanta enjoyed Christmas on a greater scale than ever before, but with fewer mishaps than have marked past observances. Not one fatal shooting happened, a few negroes at the Grady hospital constituting the only evidence of over-hilarious "frolics."

SERVICES TOMORROW IN NEGRO CHURCHES

Rev. L. H. King, pastor Central Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, has been returned to the pastorate by the conference for his eighth year.

The foremost colored ministers of the city and state and is identified with every movement for the advancement of the race. Rev. J. L. Demery, pastor of the M. E. church in South Atlanta, was made superintendent of the Atlanta district and Rev. J. T. Griffin for superintendent was given the charge at Commerce, Ga. Rev. W. O. Thomas, pastor Fort Street church, was given the charge in Covington, Ga.

The emancipation exercises of the colored people will be held in Bethel A. M. E. church on the first of January. Noted negro orators will deliver addresses.

Revs. H. W. Evans and F. M. J. Mashaw were returned as pastors of the churches they served last year by the conference just closed in Augusta, Ga.

Rev. H. H. Proctor, who has been pastoring in the First Congregational church, colored, in the city, will preach his farewell sermon Sunday evening before leaving for Brooklyn, N. Y., where he will begin pastoring one of the leading churches in that city.

A. M. E. CHURCHES.

St. Paul—Rev. C. G. Gray, pastor. The pastor will preach a special Christmas sermon at the morning services. Christmas tree on Monday evening. Exercises by the Sunday school.

Bethel—Rev. R. H. Singleton, pastor. The pastor will fill his pulpit at both services.

Allen Temple—Rev. J. A. Lindsay, pastor. Regular services at morning and evening. The pastor will preach.

St. Peter's—Rev. Horace Williams, pastor. The pastor will preach on the "Birth of Christ" at the morning service.

Cosmopolitan—Rev. W. J. Williams, pastor. The pastor will fill his pulpit at both services. Christmas tree Monday evening in the lecture room of the church.

BAPTIST CHURCHES.

Union—Rev. C. H. Sharp, pastor. Regular Christmas services at morning and evening.

Zion Hill—Rev. C. H. Robinson, pastor. The pastor will fill his pulpit at both services.

Liberty—Rev. Ernest Hall, pastor. Special services will be held at morning and evening. The pastor will preach on the "Observance of Christmas" at 11 a. m.

Reed Street—Rev. E. P. Johnson, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

C. M. E. CHURCHES.

Butler Street—Rev. H. W. Evans, pastor. The pastor will fill his pulpit at both services.

West Mitchell—Rev. F. M. J. Mashaw, pastor. Regular services.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Radcliff Memorial—Rev. S. D. Thom, pastor. 11 a. m., "Closing Year Meditation;" 8 p. m., "The Handicapped Man." Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., A. J. Kenedy, superintendent.

M. E. CHURCH.

Central Avenue M. E. Church—Rev. L. H. King, pastor. Regular services morning and evening.

Canadian Ace Dead.

Toronto, December 26.—Major A. E. McKeever, M. C., D. S. O., one of the best known Canadian aces in the great war, and credited with the destructio nof forty-five German machines, died in the general hospital here today as the result of an operation. He was 25 years of age.

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Special Holiday Bill
"The Two Sweethearts;" Bert and Mabel Swann and Diving Sea Lions; Pert Kelton & Co.; Jack Dunham and Sammy Edwards; Australian Woodcutters.

ORDERS WILL CONDUCT JUDGE FITE'S BURIAL

Funeral and Interment at Cartersville on Sunday Morning.

Cartersville, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Funeral services of Judge A. W. Fite will be conducted from the Sam Jones Memorial church here at 11 o'clock Sunday morning by Rev. W. T. Hunnicutt, of Atlanta. Interment will be at Oakhill cemetery here.

Judge Fite was the first worshipful master of the local lodge of Masons and will receive a Masonic burial. The Cartersville bar will attend the obsequies in a body and the Odd Fellows and Junior Order lodges will act as honorary escorts.

DR. PROCTOR TO LEAVE FOR BROOKLYN JAN. 1

After twenty-five years as pastor of the First Congregational church, colored, during which time he has built up in Atlanta the largest church of colored people in his denomination in the world, and the best equipped institutional church for negroes in the United States, Dr. H. H. Proctor leaves January 1 for New York city to build there for his people a church on the model of the one which has been so successful here. He will be backed by a number of wealthy men, and if the plan makes good in the metropolis it is planned to build a chain of churches of this type that will extend from Brooklyn to San Francisco.

He delivers his farewell sermons to the people of Atlanta Sunday. At 11 a. m. his subject will be "Carry On!" when he will make an appeal to the thousand members of his church to carry on the work begun during the last quarter of a century. At 7:30 p. m. he will speak on the topic, "After Twenty-five Years in Atlanta," when he will give a resume of his work during a quarter of a century. Dr. Proctor numbers his friends among the white people in Atlanta by the hundreds, and they will be especially welcome to either of the services Sunday. There will be special musical programs at both services.

"DRESS-SUIT" CROOK YIELDS TO THE POLICE

Indianapolis, Ind., December 26.—Charles ("Chappy") Moran, said to be known throughout the world as a "dress-suit" confidence man, surrendered himself to the federal authorities here today. Moran was indicted with others in connection with the Muncie fraud case, but the police had been unable to find him.

Former Mayor Rollin Bunch, of Muncie, and Horace Murphy, until a short time ago prosecuting attorney for Delaware county, who were in office during the operations of the men, now are serving prison terms as a result of having been found guilty in the case. Fake boxing contests and wrestling matches were conducted, along with big land deals that never were consummated. It was said people from all over the country were fleeced out of thousands of dollars.

Moran pleaded guilty to complicity in the Muncie fraud case. Sentence was deferred and he was remanded to jail.

WILSON IS DELAYING ON SUGAR MESSAGE

Washington, December 26.—President Wilson is withholding action on the McNary bill extending the life of the Sugar Equalization board until the board files a memorandum concerning the measure. It was said at the white house today the board had requested this delay. There was no indication what the board's attitude on the bill would be.

CONVALESCENTS BUILD UP ON PEPTO-MANGAN

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THREE FIRMS GIVE SHARE OF PROFITS TO THE EMPLOYEES

The entire corps of employees of the Hotel Equipment company, Hec Manufacturing company and Hotel Furniture and Linen company were all made happy, when the president of the companies, A. B. Ware, distributed checks totaling several hundred dollars as Christmas bonuses.

The idea of distributing checks Christmas was inaugurated about six years ago by the Hotel Equipment company when it was decided that the employees should all participate in the profits to some extent.

This year being the most prosperous year the three companies have ever had, the bonus checks were naturally larger than ever before.

All road salsmen, numbering sixteen, of the three firms, will remain in the city until New Year. Tuesday night a banquet will be given at one of the local hotels.

SHE IS GIVEN $250,000 FOR HER KINDNESS

Boston, December 26.—The faithfulness and kindness with which Miss Agnes Jane McNevin cared for Mrs. Mary C. Knight during the many years she served her as maid were rewarded today when she was given the Knight home, its furnishings, and funds, the total value of which was estimated at $250,000.

The will of Mrs. Knight, who died two months ago at the age of 78 years, was admitted to probate today. The beneficiaries of the $300,000 estate besides Miss McNevin are largely public institutions.

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If you suffer from stomach trouble or, even if you do not feel any stomach distress, yet are weak and ailing, feel tired and dragged out, lack "pep" and enthusiasm and know that something is wrong although you cannot locate the exact cause of your trouble—you naturally want to get back your grip on health as quickly as possible. Then take EATONIC, the wonderful modern remedy that brings quick relief from pains of indigestion, belching, gassy bloat, etc. Keep your stomach strong, clean and sweet. See how your general health improves—how quickly the old-time vim, vigor and vitality come back.

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NEW W. & A. LEASE EFFECTIVE TODAY

Old Lease Will Expire at Noon and Road Will Be Formally Turned Over to Lessee for 50 Years.

The new lease of the Western and Atlantic railroad by the state to the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad will begin at noon today, at which time the old lease will expire and the road will be given a receipt for the full performance of it.

The Western and Atlantic commission, created by the general assembly to negotiate a new lease, will then formally turn the road over to the lessee under the new lease, which is to run for fifty years, and take a receipt therefor.

The state's revenue is greatly increased by the new contract. Under the terms of the old lease, which was for thirty years, at a monthly rental of $35,001, the lessee was required to deposit bonds of the United States or the state of Georgia with the state treasurer amounting to $500,000. The new lease, which runs for fifty years, with a monthly rental of $45,000, requires the deposit of $600,000 in bonds of the same character with the state treasurer as a guaranty of the faithful performance of the contract.

In addition to the monthly rental the lessee is obligated to spend $3,000,000 in improvements upon the property during the life of the lease. It is probable that the lessee, instead of withdrawing the half-million of bonds now deposited with the treasurer, will simply make an additional deposit of $100,000 to compiy with the terms of the new lease.

Careful Study of Papers.

Prior to the formal redelivery of the road to the lessee the papers connected with the transaction will be carefully read to insure their accuracy in every detail. Then, at exactly noon, the state's property will again pass to the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, after being in the hands of the state for only a few minutes at most.

Chairman C. Murphey Candler, of the Western and Atlanta commission, will act for the state of Georgia in formally passing the road, and some official of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis, probably T. A. Clarkson, secretary, will act for it as lessee. Governor Dorsey is a member of the commission, but he will be absent in south Georgia, where he has an engagement to speak at Dublin under the auspices of the chamber of commerce of that city.

W. R. Cole, president of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, is ill in Florida and will not be able to attend. Other members of the Western and Atlantic commission, all of whom are expected to be present, are: Gunby Jordan, of Columbus; C. R. Ashley, of Valdosta, and St. Elmo Massengale, of Atlanta. The late J. L. Hand, of Pelham, died while he was a member of the commission.

John L. Tye, of Atlanta, is expected to be present as counsel of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad.

Besides the payment of the rental under the old lease from December 1 to 27, the lessee will turn over to the state $33,000 in cash to cover machine shop equipment, which went with the lease of the road thirty years ago and which has since been worn out.

Other Properties Involved.

In addition to this lease there will be a formal transfer to J. B. Pound, of Chattanooga, lessee, of properties of the state in that city, known as the Eastern hotel and Southern Express building, which, by act of the legislature, the commission was authorized to lease separately from the railroad proper.

These properties have been leased for a period of fifty years on a sliding scale, beginning with $8,340 per annum and increasing in ten-year periods until a monthly rental of $1,000 is reached.

In accordance with the terms of the contract Mr. Pound yesterday deposited with the state treasurer registered gold bonds of the United States aggregating $8,350 to guarantee the first year's rental.

LOUIE, THE LAWYER : : : : : : : : If Prices Keep On Soaring She Can Afford To Lose Another.



40 PER CENT INCREASE IN MAIL THRO' ATLANTA

Strenuous Work Has Cleared Postoffice of Holiday Congestion.

Outside of the poor parents with 'steen children and numberless in-laws, the employees of the postoffice department are doubtless the most happy people in the country at the passing of Christmas. Long hours, swarms of people and an unceasing line of packages and letters—that is Christmas for the workers in the postoffice.

With all records broken in the mailing of Christmas letters and parcels, the local employees of the postoffice are breathing sighs of relief and thanking their stars that Christmas comes only once a year. The records show an increase of over 40 per cent over last year in insured parcels alone. The highest mark was reached Monday when a total of 10,520 parcels of this kind passed through the office. The total number of insured parcels for the three days before Christmas amounted to 22,764.

No record is kept of the uninsured parcels, but it is estimated that there was an increase of at least 40 per cent over last year.

In addition to the parcels, there were 926,000 letters and cards cancelled on the 22 and 23. This number accounts for the outgoing mail only and it is estimated that several hundred thousand letters and cards were received in those two days.

The corridors of the postoffice are clear and look deserted. Everything is cleared out behind the desks, which is the first time that such a condition has ever existed. As fast as the mail has been received, it has been sent right out. This is due, according to Postmaster Bolling Jones, to the courtesy of the people in mailing their Christmas packages early. Heretofore everybody has waited until the last minute and as a result there was always something left over after Christmas.

M'CLURE IS KILLED BY MERCER THURSDAY

Elberton, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Wellborn Mercer yesterday shot and killed Murphey McClure several miles below Elberton and was today bound over upon charges of involuntary manslaughter. Mercer was firing his pistol when McClure happened to step in line with the fire. The body was shipped to Prentiss, N. C., McClure's home.

MANY ILLITERATES WILL ENROLL SOON IN FOUR CLASSES

Adults who enroll by January 5 for instruction in the special illiteracy classes established in four sections of the city by the board of education and which will reopen on that date, will be tendered a free supper served in the class rooms at the first session. The supper will be provided and served by committees from churches in the sections where classes are held.

Classes have been organized at the following places: Commercial High school, English Avenue school, Lee Street school, and the Wesley house near the Fulton Bag and Cotton mills.

For more than two weeks committees have been at work in a campaign to find those who are eligible to instruction in the illiteracy classes. They received promises from a large number to enroll after Christmas and full attendance is expected on January 5 at the opening session.

Following the supper which will be served to the new pupils there will be a short program of music and a talk setting forth the purposes of the classes and the merits of the undertaking. Then will follow a demonstration of the work by the teachers.

M. L. Brittain, state superintendent of schools, will address the class at Commercial High school; C. J. Haden will speak at the Lee Street school; Rev. Marvin Williams at the Wesley house, and Joseph McCord at the English Avenue school. The classes will be taught at night and will begin at 7 o'clock, being held two nights a week, Monday and Wednesday.

To all those who enroll tickets will be furnished to the supper. It is requested that those who will volunteer their services in preparation for the opening occasion notify Mrs. P. F. Duggan, supervisor of the illiteracy work for the city, at 32 Arnold street, or telephone Ivy 7106, or Miss B. Townsend, 43 West Cain street, Ivy 5433-J.

Announcement of the plans will be made next Sunday in all churches near these school centers and a call for volunteers will be made.

PRESSURE IS PUT ON PARTY LEADERS

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would not oppose a compromise so long as the foreign relations committee reservations are not vitally impaired, though he considers that the next move is up to the democrats.

It is with this situation that the bi-partisan movement is calculated to deal, its backers declaring neither side should stand upon formality, but should earnestly try to ratify at once. The strength of the movement could not be estimated tonight, but it was suggested that even if it could not muster the necessary two-thirds to ratify at first, it might get a majority which could bring the treaty again before the senate and center public opinion upon such compromise reservations as might be agreed to.

So the immediate compromise advocates predicted success for their enterprise, Senator Hitchcock expressing confidence that his own compromise plan would win out, and Senator Lodge asserting that the committee reservations would be accepted without material change and the irreconcilables declaring there would be no compromise at all.

A Christmas Message From Armenia

The people of Armenia have sent a Christmas message to the people of America. The message is sent through Henry Morgenthau, vice chairman of the American committee for Near East relief, and is in a cablegram from Colonel William N. Haskell, allied high commissioner in Transcaucasia, and follows:

"Messages were received from Zaven, Armenian patriarch of Constantinople; Katholicos Kevork V., supreme patriarch of the Armenians, and Premier Alexander I. Khatissian, acting president of the Armenian republic. Armenian Patriarch Zaven says:

"'Americans, you have helped our wrecked nation. Since signing the armistice, relief workers have spread hope to broken hearts and helped keep alive thousands of orphans. If matters are left now all work carried on thus far would be fruitless.'

"Katholicos Kevork V. says: 'God sent you to help Armenia and I am grateful to Him for your coming.

"'The people of Armenia are most thankful to you this Christmas for all you are doing for them. If it had not been for the help you have given them they would have starved. Today they are in greatest need. You alone can save them.'

"Premier Khatissian reminds America his people fought on the side of the allies.

"At this Christmas time eight hundred thousand Armenian men, women and children are in need of bread and clothing.

"Without bread these people will starve; without clothing they will freeze to death. For both food and clothing they must depend on America.

"Colonel Haskell says: 'I am sure Americans will not desert these destitute people.'"

Day After Christmas Brings Much Dismay to Atlantans

By Rose King.

A good many Atlanta people were in the dumps yesterday. It was the day of Christmas.

Mrs. Jones, who had thought and thought on the question, had finally decided that she would not give her one-time friend, Mrs. N., anything for Christmas. It was ridiculous. Why, she only saw the woman and three or four times a year, and just because she always had given presents was no sign that it must be kept up now when they were rather losing track of each other. However, just for old-times' sake she would send her a card.

She went down to the counter, and picked up a beautiful Christmas greeting card, and mailed it to Mrs. N. Then on Christmas day there came a beautiful present from Mrs. N. She could have killed that woman!

A Sad Case.

But the feeling that you have sent only a postcard to someone who had sent you a wonderful present is nothing compared with the state of mind of a certain woman who lives on West Peachtree. She is one of these methodical creatures who plan their gifts, and mail them, in ample time. However, this year she left one important person out of her list. She entirely forgot that her brother had gotten married, and that, of course, all of the other members of the family were sending gifts this Christmas to his wife. This good lady is slowly fading away, awaiting the family crisis which she is confident she has precipitated.

"But, oh, it's awful when you come down to getting your last package ready," wailed a business woman, "and find that you are out of such necessities as tissue paper, nothing else to do but pretend that you are very prim, and don't care to give gifts that are so gaudily decorated up."

"I always wait to give my presents at home until after I have received some," declared her friend. "Then I just use the paper and strings that come around my presents."

"Well, I can beat that," declared another of the group. "Of course, I wouldn't mention it to anyone but you all, but I always get a book Christmas from my aunt. She always sends it ahead of time, and I read it before Christmas. Someone is always turning up with a present for me when I don't expect it, but my book always saves the day. I just say, 'You came before I got your package wrapped, but just wait a minute and I'll have it for you.' So I dig up my aunt's book, and I tell you, her annual book always saves my life."

Those Christmas Cigars.

When a young business man went to thank a lawyer friend of his for the box of cigars he had given him, the lawyer said:

"Well, I'll be frank and tell you something funny. Those cigars were given me, but I don't smoke, and I thought I would give them to you. Of course I had intended to give you something, anyway, and so I thought this was as good as anything else."

But, although the lawyer had been so frank, the young business man was not, for he did not tell the young lawyer that he had given away those gift cigars to a friend, since he seldom smoked. And the business man is wondering whether the cigars are still going their rounds.

Christmas night and last night were agonizing for many an Atlanta man, who was presented with cigars by his wife.

"I always forget what kind it is you smoke, dear," explained one wife, "but I guess these are all right. They come in a mighty pretty box."

But your husband didn't take the hint and start on his after dinner smoke.

To Smoke or Not.

"Now, here's your easy chair," suggested his wife. "You can sit right down here and be comfortable smoking tonight."

"All right, honey, I will in just a few minutes," said the husband, wondering how he could get out of it. If he had to try his wife's cigars, at least let him do it in private, until he found out how good they were. But the wife insisted. The husband lighted a cigar, took a puff or two, then laid the cigar aside.

"Why, aren't they good, Jack? I paid enough for them."

"Oh, no—I mean—yes, indeed. It's just—why you know I feel as if I oughtn't to waste expensive cigars like that for every night. I ought to save them for something special. I think I'd better put them up and only use them for big occasions—like when we have company.

TUCKER IS IMPROVING FROM XMAS INJURIES

Will Tucker, of 426 Marietta street, who was injured Christmas eve in an automobile accident on the Forsyth street viaduct when a car in which he was riding struck the city police patrol, was reported Friday to be improving from his injuries at his home.

After the accident Tucker was carried to Grady hospital. He sustained several deep cuts about the face and head and had several teeth knocked out. It was stated that he was thrown through the windshield by the impact. He was later carried to his home.

LOSES HIS EYE IN A MOCK DUEL WITH COMPANION

Herman Greeson, of Suwanee, Ga., is at a local hospital minus his right eye following a mock duel with a companion Wednesday night.

Young Greeson and his friend had called upon a young lady of Suwanee and after leaving the idea of a mock duel occurred. The challenged party selected roman candles as the weapons and the affray started according to rules and regulations.

Standing back to back, the young men walked twenty paces and then turned and started firing. After a few minutes Greeson's candle ceased firing and he looked into the end of it to see what was the trouble. As a result he received a charge in his right eye which necessitated it being removed.

Mr. Greeson was reported resting easily last night and no complications are expected.

RAIL MEN TO STRIKE FOR RIGHT TO STRIKE

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doubt today whether the house would accept it. At all events, senators and representatives alike are anxious to hear from the brotherhood meeting Monday, without indicating change in their positions by reason of any declaration of principles from organized employees of the roads. So far as the conferees are concerned, the labor section will not be considered until they have reached an agreement on all other disputed questions.

Wage Increases Wanted.

Cleveland, Ohio, December 26.—Representatives of the three big railroad brotherhoods with headquarters in Cleveland will be represented Monday at two meetings of the railway union officials in Washington, one to consider pending railway legislation, the other to arrange for co-operation in obtaining wage increases.

The return of the railroads to their owners in March does not lead the brotherhood chiefs to fear their demands for increased wages will be neglected, they said today.

Timothy Shea, acting president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, said the brotherhood representatives would insist that the roads be returned without any restrictions being placed upon employees.

The employees, Mr. Shea said, must be permitted to use their economic strength to oppose injustice, just as they were permitted to before the government assumed control of the railroads. This does not mean, Mr. Shea said, that they wished to become involved in a strike, but that they must be permitted to retain their rights as citizens.

HIGH RAIL RATES ARE URGED BY REA.

Philadelphia, December 28.—Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, in a statement tonight on the return of railroads to private ownership, said it is essential that higher rates be approved by the interstate commerce commission to save the country from broken down railroads and insufficient facilities and service. Mr. Rea said the railroad bill pending in congress should definitely provide the following essential features:

"1. That adequate rates be at all times maintained to prevent the railroads from getting into the position from which they are now trying to emerge. For this purpose the adoption of a rate-making rule or, if that is not acceptable, the fixing of some minimum return, is essential for the positive guidance of the commissions which regulate rates.

"2. Fund the war indebtedness to the government, which chiefly consists of expenditures made by the government for additions and betterments, essential to carry the traffic of the war period and protect the life of the nation; and also return teh roads with sufficient working capital to resume operations. The government found it essential to have working capital, and the railroads were called upon to provide a large part of that working capital at the beginning of federal control, both in money and materials and supplies.

"3. Continue the standard compensation as prescribed by the federal control act and contract until the railroad situation has been steadied by adequate rates and stronger credit.

"4. Provide sufficient capital to finish additions, betterments and equipment already authorized by the United States railroad administration to finance additional new work and equipment that should be authorized in 1920, and also enable the railroads to provide for securities maturing in that year."

"The government," Mr. Rea said, "is not asked to make a gift to the railroads by such funding of past expenditures or for such new capital, but it will receive from the railroads the obligations evidencing such debts, and requiring their payment in say ten years with suitable interest. The public interest should be protected in this way; otherwise new equipment and facilities cannot be provided in 1920."

VOCATIONAL BOARD WOULD AVOID DELAY

Local Office Seeks Authority to Decide on Cases Here.

Wider range of authority in granting training and compensation for disabled soldiers is being asked by the authorities of the fifth district of the federal board for vocational education. Due to the fact that at the present time all cases, except those of major amputations and blindness, must be referred to the central office in Washington delay results and the men are made to suffer. In many cases the men are anxious to enter training at the earliest possible moment in order to fit themselves for better positions and it is hoped that authority will soon be granted to each of the 14 districts of the country to pass on the cases direct without referring them to Washington.

On January 1, Mel W. Lampkin, chief of the rehabilitation bureau, will visit Atlanta on his inspection tour of the 14 districts and it is hoped that at that time some definite action will be taken relative to the decentralization of all cases. Mr. Lampkin is familiarizing himself with the operation of each district with the view of improving the system in any way possible.

"Flying Squadron" Coming.

The "flying squadron" of officials from Washington will arrive in Atlanta on January 15 for the purpose of reviewing all the cases in the files and expediting the disposition.

Much confusion has resulted from the fact that disabled men are entitled to compensation from the bureau of war risk insurance only up to the time they enter training under the federal board for vocational training. At that time their compensation from the bureau of war risk insurance automatically ceases, but if on the completion of their training or if they are forced through ill health to stop training at any time, their compensation again starts under the bureau of war risk insurance. Each department is entirely separate and the appropriations are separate.

At the present time there are 24,000 applications on file with the fifth district board, with only about 1,200 men in training. Six thousand more are expected to enter training soon, 500 of whose claims have already been approved. The men in training are scattered among the institutions in Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, North and South Carolina.

Maximum Allowance $150.

The compensation for men in training under the federal board is $80 for a single man, $100 for a married man, with additional allowance for wife of $15, for first child $10, second child $7.50, and for every other child $5. The maximum allowance is $150 per month. The approximate cost to the government for placing a man in training is $2,000 and the federal board is now operating under an appropriation of $10,000,000, which it is hoped soon will be increased to $100,000,000.

Quicker disposition of cases and faster results in the matter of compensation is promised by the officials of the fifth district within the next few months.

SUES POWER COMPANY FOR $40,000 DAMAGES

Suit for $40,000 damages against the Georgia Railway and Power company was filed Friday in the city court of Atlanta by Mrs. Gladys Barnett as the result of a street car collision on the River car line, November 11 of this year.

Filing of the suit by Ernest C. Buchanan, counsel for Mrs. Barnett, was preceded by an effort to adjust the claim, but no agreement could be reached. Mrs. Barnett claims that she sustained permanent injuries.

Several damage suits have already been filed against the power company as the result of this accident, which occurred at the corner of Simpson and Edwards streets.

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THE W. & A. LEASE.

An epochal event in the history of Georgia will take place today when, at 12 o'clock, the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad company will take from the state, on a new half-century lease, the Western and Atlantic property, which it has been operating under lease during the last thirty years.

Fortunately, the law controlling the provisions of the new lease was enacted by the general assembly, and it became effective, before the era of railroad demoralization incident to our entrance into the world war.

No wiser step was ever taken by a Georgia legislature than was that which submitted this property to lease three years prior to the expiration of the old lease.

The matter could have been passed on by two later legislatures, and some members of the general assembly that enacted the lease bill were disposed to defer action on the question in order that a later legislature might deal with it.

Those who favored delay argued that postponement of action would permit ample time, since the old Western and Atlantic lease was not to expire until the winter of 1919, hence they held that the matter could be handled by the legislature of 1917 or '18.

The Constitution very earnestly and emphatically protested against the proposed delay, urging that the matter be disposed of under the favorable conditions existing at that time.

The general assembly acted accordingly, and the result was that the state negotiated a splendid lease at largely increased revenue, whereas, if the matter had gone over another year or two the time for bids for the new lease would have found us in the midst of our participation in the great war, and it is doubtful if a lease could have been negotiated that would have been as favorable as the lease then about to expire, and the possibility, if not the probability, is that the state might have been required to take the property back and operate it, which it could have done only at tremendous loss.

In other words, had the legislature not acted as and when it did, the Western and Atlantic might today have been a white elephant on the state's hands, instead of a fine, income-earning asset, as the property is today, and will be for another half-century.

The Constitution never gave better advice than it did when it urged prompt and timely action on the new lease, and a Georgia legislature never acted more wisely than it did in dealing with this question in time.

The Constitution's advice and wise legislative action saved the state millions of dollars in this instance.

THEY DESERVED TO LOSE

Those would-be profiteers in Christmas trees who suffered the loss of thousands of dollars on the Chicago market during the season of tree-buying will receive scant sympathy from the public, and they deserve no more than they will receive.

Christmas trees were shipped into the city, according to an Associated Press dispatch, by the train load in anticipation of an unprecedented holiday demand, and their owners held them at an exorbitant price to wholesalers.

The prices were so great, and so out of proportion with the prices that prevailed in previous years, that the dealers through whose hands they were intended to reach the public refused to pay. The result was that the carloads of trees stood on the railroad tracks accumulating demurrage and freight charges until, in utter despair, they were offered for whatever they would bring, and, as the report states—

Christmas trees today sold for as little as 5 cents "take your pick" in some places, and the prices ranged up to $1.65, with the evergreens still a drug on the market. Reluctance of local representatives of Santa Claus to pay the $3 first demanded not only had driven down the price but resulted in 20,000 trees being distributed free and an additional 22 carloads being offered today.

The trees were rescued from dumps where they were ordered by the railroad by city officials and "good fellows."

The owners of the evergreens, the dealers, wholesale and retail, who customarily attend to the distribution of the trees at Christmas time, were deprived of the legitimate profits that such sales annually bring to them, and to which they were entitled this year; and, what is still more to be deplored, thousands of little children of Chicago were denied the joy that is peculiar to the Yuletide season and incomplete without the time-honored tree.

It is to be regretted that the inordinate profits-taker sought to invade the sacred provinces of Santa Claus, and to get rich in a day by the sale of that which Nature placed in the forests for the benefit and enjoyment of all—and especially the children.

POWER FOR THE MASSES

John W. Greer, of Moultrie, an officer of the Municipal League of Georgia, in a communication published elsewhere upon this page, discusses the hydro-electric power development question in a highly interesting manner, and from a standpoint that is both unusual and argumentative.

Ordinarily in discussions of this great question water power development is associated directly with industry, the tendency being to lead the masses to conclude that it is a thing that primarily concerns "big business," and the people only indirectly.

Our correspondent, however, takes it straight to the average citizen, and argues its possibilities, not in the factory, not in the running of industrial machinery, but in the home and on the farm, and shows how hydro-electric power would add to the sum total of rural life happiness.

He cites the life and daily routine of the average country mother, whom he characterizes "the drudge horse of the farm," and who might also be as fittingly referred to as the wheel-horse of society and the mainspring of citizenship—the good, patient, burden-bearer, the server of others, who, with love in her human heart, "cooks and sews for the family," as Mr. Greer expresses it, "washes the clothes, scrubs the floors, cleans the lamps, cuts the wood, churns, draws water out of a 40-foot well," etc., "all with her hands and human physical strength," lifting, on an average, he says, "a ton and a half of water during a day's labor," all of which is done, in many instances, within a stone's throw of a stream through which thousands of horse power of hydro-electric energy sings its listless way, unused and wasted, on to the sea!

"What time, pray," he asks, "has a mother like that to devote to the development of her own mind and soul and to the love and nature (and character-building, he might have said) of her children—those children who will eventually be the three-fourths of our city population?"

What water power development means to industry, to the commercial life of the community, is patent; it admits of no controversy.

It can be made to mean equally as much to the improvement of rural conditions and the welfare and happiness of the masses if it is carried to an extent that brings electric energy onto the average farm and applied to the essential activities that now constitute what is commonly termed the drudgery of rural life.

Better farming, more contentment and happiness in the country, and better citizenship would follow.

That admits of no argument.

Fines having failed to stop traffic law violations, what's the matter with trying steel cages and iron bars?

A statistics bug has figured that whisky has gone up 1,030 per cent during the last five years; but that is as nothing compared with the rate at which it has gone down.

Cuba seems to be enjoying an unprecedented tourist boom, due in large measure, probably, that it is one of the few places in the western world where a man may still openly order his drinks by their right names, and get them.

Last Night's Dreams, What They Mean

Did You Dream of Decapitation?

Everybody will agree that in our waking life it is most unfortunate for one to have his head cut off. In Dreamland, however, it is most fortunate. This is one of the cases where dreams go by contraries according to nearly all the mystic interpreters. Even to dream of seeing a guillotine is good luck; to see it cutting off somebody's head is better, and best of all is to dream that it is your own head which is being severed. Are you in love? Then success in your love-making awaits you. Are you ambitious? You will rise. You are going to meet long absent friends and whatever troubles may now surround you after an interview with a guillotine in Dreamland they will vanish away. If you are in business, then your business will prosper, and as for money it is sure to come your way, though one or two pessimists say that you are going to experience some losses through a treacherous friend. A dream of sort, experienced by Maury, the eminent French savant who wrote extensively on the subject of dreams, has become famous under the name of "Maury's Dream" and the subject of endless discussion. Maury dreamed that he was living in the time of the French revolution; he had many adventures, he was arrested and brought before the revolutionary tribunal where he was examined by Robespierre, Marat and others of the "terror." He was condemned to death and after some other adventures was taken to the guillotine surrounded by a vast throng, strapped to the board and the ax fell. He awoke to find that a piece of the bedstead had fallen and hit him on the back of the neck just where he had felt the knife. He awoke instantly; the "stimulus" for the dream was the blow on the neck. The question argued by the scientists is this: Is the dream consciousness capable of such rapidity of action as to create and comprehend such a long and minute drama as Maury's dream in the almost infinitisimal period of time between his being struck and starting to awake? Freud meets the difficulty by suggesting that the whole thing had been imagined by Maury when reading as a boy of the French revolution when he had had the natural wish of a French boy that he had lived in those times to have taken a part in such stirring events. And at the blow on the neck which suggested the stroke of the knife of the guillotine the drama popped entire from its psychic pigeonhole. However Maury's dream and all that it implies with regard to the rapidity of action of the dream consciousness is still debatable ground with the scientists.

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HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

The Annoying Germ Theory.

Once upon a time two cows got into a farmer's corn and trampled down all they could not eat. In the morning the farmer found them there and went over and raised hob with his neighbor who owned the cows. The neighbor was incredulous and went out to see for himself. "Well," he finally admitted, "yes, they're my cows. But I still deny that my cows would do such a thing. It is more plausible to assume that the cows found the fence broken and the corn trampled down and just walked in without meaning any harm." Whereupon the owner of the corn handed the owner of the cows a rail from the fence, and the jury called it justifiable homicide.

Anthrax is a disease which destroys sheep and cattle and sometimes man. It is commonly called malignant pustule. Often sheep infected with the bacillus of anthrax drop dead without noticeable premonitory illness, though sometimes there are staggering and trembling, hurried breathing, fever, bleeding from the nose and eyes and other orifices, and then death after an hour or two. Wool sorters and handlers of hides sometimes contract anthrax, which begins with a lesion resembling a boil or a carbuncle at the point of inoculation. The bacillus of anthrax is found in the hair or wool, on the hide, and in the pustule. In animals dead of anthrax the bacillus is found occluding the small arteries or capillaries of internal organs.

Yet some people, usually with something to market, speak of the "germ theory" as though it were not a demonstrable fact. Unfortunately for these plausible folks belief in the bacterial origin of disease just naturally destroys the market for that which they wish to sell.

Scoffers at the "germ theory" offer many and weird explanations for certain familiar every-day facts, such as the contagiousness of erysipelas, the risk of "blood poisoning" from unclean wounds, the occurrence of epidemics, the way in which malaria and yellow fever spread, the mysterious spreading of disease by apparently healthy human carriers, and the countless lives saved by the simple expedient of asepsis (that is, germ-free environment) in surgical, obstetric and sanitary practice. Obvious facts like these are hard to reason away with the cows in the corn.

But let us not assume that because diseases are caused by germs antiseptics or germicides can be expected to destroy the germs in the tissues of the host—the only place where disease germs do an individual any harm. Although many concoctions do purport to exert an "antiseptic" or "germicidal" influence in the tissues or in the blood of the host without seriously injuring the tissue cells or destroying the life of the host, no one with any knowledge of the nature of disease and of bacteriology takes such remedies seriously.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Margaret, the Doctor's Daughter.

Some time ago you recommended a book containing things my daughter Margaret Ought to Know. Please reprint the name of the book and the price and oblige Mrs. H. R. S.

ANSWER—The name of the pamphlet is "Margaret the Doctor's Daughter," the price is 20 cents and the address of the publisher is American Medical Association, 535 N. Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill. The book is for girls 12 to 14. For girls 16 to 18 "Life Problems," same price and same publisher. For boys 10 to 15, "John's Vacation." For boys 16 to 18, "Chums"—all the same price. For boys old enough to go away from home or to enter high school, "The Boy's Venereal Peril," 5 cents, same publisher.

Peanuts, Popcorn and Fruit in Childhood.

Please tell me your opinion of peanuts for children past two years old. Should children past two be given raw fruit? Popcorn? (Mrs. L. B. A.)

ANSWER—None of these articles should be given to children under 5 years of age, as a rule. Cooked fruit only, for young children. Fruit juices may be given raw even to little babies 6 months old.

Dr. Brady will answer all signed letters pertaining to health. Writers' names are never printed. Only inquiries of general interest are answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is inclosed. Requests for diagnosis or treatment of individual cases cannot be considered. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of The Constitution.

Treaty Ratification of Some Kind Certain Within Next Three Months

By FRANK H. SIMONDS

Washington, December 26.—(Special.)—A week at the capital discloses three salient details in the situation, so far as the treaty of Versailles is concerned.

First: A general conviction that some treaty will be ratified within the next three months.

Second: An unmistakable strengthening of the tone and feeling of the republican senators, who stood solidly for reservations, growing out of the absence of any general or impressive public protest over the defeat of the treaty a few weeks ago.

Third: The improvement of the health of the president, himself, who is described as becoming more determined in his insistence upon defeating reservations, notably those included in Article X., which he regards as fatal to the moral force of the document negotiated by him in Paris.

On the surface of things the position of the senate and of the president would seem to point to a long continued deadlock, but the reason that many observers expect a relatively rapid accommodation of rival views is found in the fact that many democratic observers, and republican testimony on this point is worthless, forecast a larger democratic defection from the president's position in the weeks following the Christmas holidays.

At bottom the Washington situation is very clear. On the one hand the president stands firmly to his conception of what the league of nations is to be, he remains in the mood of his Paris utterances. He sees, none better and none more clearly, that such amendments, now become reservations, as are today the irreducible minimum of republican—and for that matter, minority democratic demands—strike at the very heart of the ideal he had for the league of nations.

President Disposed to Fight.

Despite illness and frankly conceded disappointment at the failure of the country to give unmistakable evidence of its support of his idealistic program, the president is by no means satisfied that this public failure is permanent and as his strength returns, his disposition "to fight it out on this line, if it takes all summer," is recognized and testified to, by those who should be nearest to him.

The president's mood and conception are very little appreciated either in the country or even in Washington, because in both places the inside history of the Paris conference is little known. The reservations proposed have excited no wave of protest and indignation, because the country has only vaguely and dimly been informed of the actual course of American policy in Paris.

But the president sees accurately that unimportant as the main reservations, exclusive of the preamble and certain other offensive details, outwardly appear, they actually go to the very heart of the idea which he championed in Paris. To argue that mere obstinacy and self-willed determination dominate his course, is, in my judgment, to reason incorrectly.

The real truth is that the president finds on the democratic as well as the republican side, imperfect understanding of the larger aspect of his Paris program, the moral values which he saw in America's future course. He knows always what he represented to be American desires at Paris, what he described American idealism to be, and he knows, as does everyone who was in Paris, that the treaty which could be ratified now, with the reservations today inescapable, constitute an actual repudiation of that American policy he voiced one year ago.

Underlying all else in the president's Paris course was the idea of American responsibility in world affairs—the league of nations was only a technical formulation of a new policy. America, as he and his associates over and over again explained, had broken with past isolation and had come to Europe prepared to assume burdens and responsibilities, moral and material alike, provided the actual peace terms conformed to those fourteen points which represented in his mind American will, because, when he first uttered them, nearly two years ago, they met with universal acclaim within the United States.

Reservations Limit Responsibility.

Now the spirit of all the senate reservations is absolutely contrary to the president's own view of the real and right spirit of America. The reservations themselves, the most reasonable hardly less than the most extreme, openly limit, circumscribe, practically abolish American responsibility or concern with European and world affairs. They reduce the treaty so far as America is concerned to little more than a formal assent to the material terms imposed upon Germany and with these the president was never much concerned, precisely as, even during the war, his attention was fixed upon the ordering of the world, to the obtaining of a new constitution of world relations after the struggle had terminated in German defeat.

It is therefore a mistake, in my judgment, to dismiss the present conflict as merely partisan or wholly personal. If political and human considerations enter into the affair, as they manifestly do, there is something far more important, there is a real clash between two totally different conceptions of American duties in the world, both to herself and to the rest of mankind. This is why compromise is so exceedingly difficult. Any compromise, such as must be made by the president, any concession which would lead to a useful end, must constitute for him a surrender of that ideal for which he fought in Paris, to realize which he went to Paris.

The Real Difference.

On the other hand, if it is not mere obstinacy which animates the president, it is not less clear that it is not mere partisanship which dominates the course of many republicans, of some democrats, in the senate. These men differ absolutely from the president in their conception of the duties of America, of the role of America in the world. They are honestly opposed to entering into such contracts as they see in the treaty of Versailles as it stands; they are unequivocally opposed to any undertaking by their country of the mission the president accepted for the nation at Paris.

Why in this situation is there a Washington belief that the end will come relatively soon? What is the possible termination of an absolute deadlock? The answer is plain. If the large majority of the democratic senators still support the president in his stand, Washington feels that they are becoming influenced by the unmistakable demand on the part of the nation for a restoration of peace; the capital recognizes that these democratic senators, many of them, as little understand or support the president's conception of the ideal mission of the United States as their republican opponents. Some of the highest placed democrats in Washington in recent days expressed the view that, given this situation, the arrival of an agreement between republican and democratic senators, without the sanction of the president for the compromise agreed to, would lead soon after the new year to the ratification by the senate of the treaty of Versailles with all of the essential reservations included. In the same sense, Washington dismisses as ridiculous the proposal to make peace by concurrent resolution.

Nor do democratic or republican leaders hail the idea of making the ratification wait upon the campaign and fighting out the issue in the election. Privately both sides concede that so far as they can see the public is not interested in the opposing principles, has no other feeling than one of intense weariness, aggravated by resentment at a failure to restore peace conditions, which contributes to postpone business resumption. To put the thing quite badly, quoting the phrase of one well informed observer here, Washington feels that "the country is no longer interested in making the world safe for democracy, but greatly concerned to see it made secure for business."

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Waterpower Development Would Open Way To Lifting of Drudgery From Farm Life

Editor Constitution: Your editorial of recent date on the development of the water powers of Georgia was timely, comprehensive and strong. I wish we might arouse the interest of every newspaper in Georgia on this subject.

Just now it is vital for many reasons. First, because this country has been face to face with a horror that may actually occur some day—a cold winter without fuel.

The question is also vital because of the tremendous increase in demand for power for manufacturing purposes.

And finally, the war with its consequent changes in many conditions has brought on a higher standard of living, both in the country and city among a class of people who were heretofore apparently content with a bare living. Their boys went to war with the well-do-do and caught a vision of better conditions and on their return found an increased wage scale that would justify such a life for themselves and families and now they are demanding it.

For this America should be thankful so long as it is wholesome conditions they are demanding and not luxuries.

And then there is a spirit of unselfishness abroad in the land among people who have been enjoying the good things of life to carry those good things to people who are less fortunate. Especially is this true among the people of towns and cities who have come to realize that the development of the county districts adjacent to the towns is of first importance in the development of the towns themselves. We are beginning to know pretty generally that if we take care of the country around a town, the town will take care of itself. If we develop the people of the country districts, the standard of town and city population will be raised to a higher level of character and conduct, because three-fourths of the population of our towns are contributed by the country.

The brotherhood of business is brooding over the minds of men and that means if we can help the other fellow to a higher life, he will buy more goods and better goods from us than the fellow who is content with the bare necessities of life.

The development of the water powers of Georgia is vital to the very fountainhead of our civilization—the country mother. Today she is the drudge horse of the farm. She does more work and more drudgery than any other citizen of the commonwealth. The average country mother cooks and sews for the family and oftimes for the hired help, she washes the clothes, scrubs the floors, cleans the lamps, cuts the wood, churns, draws water out of a forty-foot well and does various other chores, all with her hands and human, physical strength.

It is said that the average country woman lifts a ton and a half of water during a day's labor.

With a family of children almost twice the size of the average city family, what time, pray has a mother like that to devote to the development of her own mind and soul and to the love and nurture of her children—those children who will eventually be the three-fourths of our city population?

If we people of the cities do not lift this mother up, will she not pull us down? Is society any stronger than the weakest link in it? Can we rise above the average of our civilization and stay put? History says "No."

The development of the water powers of Georgia on a plan that will make it plentiful enough and cheap enough will lift the drudgery off this country mother.

Georgia has the water power in plenty. She is fourth state in the union in water power. It is claimed on good authority that she can develop over two million horse-power—enough to light every house, heat every house, cook all the food and run all the machinery in the state.

But it is running to the sea unharnessed and to waste. If our creeks and rivers had been coal beds we would have been digging in them since the birth of our nation, and yet the water powers are worth infinitely more in wealth and advantages to us than if their beds were seams of coal.

And the fine thing about our water powers is that they can be developed by our national, state and municipal governments without one penny's cost to the governments or the people.

Thirty-year bonds can be issued to make the developments and the income from the powers will more than pay off the bonds, the interest and all overhead expenses, and our present electric light and power bills can be cut half in two during the thirty-year period; and, after that period, they can be cut half in two again and thereafter the maintenance and renewals kept up to the highest state of efficiency.

The water powers developed under the co-operative system, the national, state and municipal governments participating, will not only bring this blessing of hydro-electric power to us in abundance and at very low cost, but it will come quickly, a large part of it, perhaps, in fifteen years, whereas under the present system of private development it will require, at the present ratio, somewhat over two hundred years, while the price under the present system is almost prohibitive, except for lights and in cases where large quantities are used for power.

What we want is this hydro-electric power in such plenty and so cheap that poor folks as well as rich corporations can have it for all their needs. So that the average farmer can have it to light and heat his house, cook his food and run his machinery—cut wood, draw water, churn, run the sewing machine, grind the feed—for about twenty-five dollars a year, so that the average family in town can use it for all needs at less than two dollars a month.

That is what has actually taken place in Ontario, Canada, where the water powers are being developed on the co-operative plan.

On the co-operative plan, not only will we get power quickly, in abundance and cheaply, but we shall get three other great benefits along with power—reclamation of our overflow lands, elimination of stagnant lagoons, mosquitoes and malaria, and, finally, the extension of navigation on all our navigable streams.

Of course, it could not be expected that private capital under the present development plan would take care of the reclamation of our overflow lands, some of the most fertile lands of the south. Neither does it concern itself with the health problem or with the power development and made to pay for themselves.

With the rapid increase of our population and commerce the problem of extending our navigation is a pressing need. Within the life time of the present generation we have seen the numerous steamboats along the Mississippi and its tributaries and those on the Appalachian rivers practically disappear from commerce. This was probably due to the rapid development of railroad mileage during the last three decades. But we have lived to see business increase to such a volume that the railroads broke down on a war basis and are threatened with congestion on a peace basis, and with rapidly increasing population and commerce, it is evident that we shall again soon have great need of all our rivers and canals for freight transportation.

As an officer of the Municipal League of Georgia, I am profoundly appreciative of your interest in this subject. All that is needed to put this great proposition over in the right way is for the people of the state to understand what it means for the state.

Georgia is rapidly moving toward the first place among the states in agriculture. Barring Texas, she will reach that pre-eminence in the next few years.

As a manufacturing state, she has but one hope and that is her water power. With that developed she can soon move up among the first as a manufacturing state.

The Maker of the Universe paid Georgia the high compliment of endowing us with the best of three great legacies—water, coal and oil. He gave us water, and started five great rivers and many small ones flowing to the sea, and these shall be eternal in their service to men, if we can only arouse Georgians to rise up and do this wonderful thing.

JOHN W. GREER.

Moultrie, Ga. Dec. 23, 1919.

The General Manager's Little Holiday Outing



:: Bits of New York Life ::

BY O. O. M'INTYRE

New York, December 27.—The flashing, zig-zaggy signs that make the Broadway flare at night are becoming bigger and bolder. The most recent one advertises a certain brand of tire, and has six movable figures and flashes on some thirty words. However, it is no more attractive to the eye than another new sign further down Broadway, which is just a huge ball of fire, with a single name in it.

The first electrical sign marvel was the Ben Hur chariot race, which I believe was atop the old Hotel Normandie in the thirties. It drew crowds then, but would excite no attention now. The electrical signs have resulted in many old trade signs dropping from view. The symbols of trade are now supplanted by the electrical word.

The wooden Indian, the significant boot over the cobbler's door, the barber's pole, the anvil of the blacksmith and the horses' heads of the liveryman are gone. There were artists in the lower part of the city who made a living making and repairing Indian cigar signs.

The Indians were carved out of white pine, from paper patterns. The men who made them made big money, and they took a great pride in their work. They were temperamental and eccentric, and spent all of their earnings in the queer little wine cellars that dot the lower East Side.

It has been said by a Sunday writer that New York now has only ten barber poles in the entire city. The barber pole dates back to the days of blood-letting. It at that time was thought to be the cure for all ills. Today it is hooted. In the old days the barber was a surgeon. During the process of blood-letting the patients tightly grasped a pole to make their veins swell and the blood flow freely. The pole soon became bloodstained, and was painted bright red.

When not in use the pole hung outside the door, wound spirally with a white linen band, representing a bandage used to tie up the wound. The substitute pole, so long in use, resulted. The mortar and pestle, for pounding drugs, have given place to the electric "Drugs." The only old sign remaining is the pawnbroker's. The three balls remain over the hock-shops. The three balls are taken from the lower part of the coat of arms of the Dukes of Medici. Their position indicates that there are two chances to one whatever is brought there will not be redeemed.

The vaults of mid-Manhattan banks are now receiving whisky for safe storage. Barrels are being received and placed in the silver vaults for a fixed charge. It is said that owners of fine whisky fear to have it placed in the usual storage warehouses, because moving men have a penchant for liquor, and they might tap the barrels, draw out a portion of the whisky and replace the drawn fluid with water.

Scheherazade kept her husband her devoted slave by telling him thrilling stories. And now modern New York wives are trying to keep their husbands in nights by having professional readers come after dinner and entertain. Down on Seventh avenue there is an office where one may secure the services of a professional reader, who will read any book or novel for $2 an hour. Five readers are being kept busy and more are in demand. It takes about three hours to read the average novel, it is said, and at $6, wives figure they have had a pleasant evening for the entire family and husband will awaken for the next day's work bright-eyed and clear-headed.

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS.

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Behind the Dim Unknown.

Shakespeare in his writings speaks of the "tide, which if taken at its flood, leads on to fortune."

There are tides always agathering in the background of every forward life.

"Behind the dim unknown—standeth God," as Lowell put it. And God, to us all, must be the silent force of good that watches over us—because we are so much more in value than the sparrows!

Mystery is a good mainspring in the growth of character. It is the fact that we do not at any time know exactly what we may yet become, that fascinates us to what we do.

The kindest thing to most of us is that much of the hard work and test of life is veiled from us till we are brought to face it at the right hour.

Every great crisis has its man. And in exactly the same manner, every man in a crisis may have the requisite strength to face and solve his own most difficult emergency.

For always—behind the dim unknown—the building and planning and getting ready is going on.

And yet the wisest one who ever lived, never at any time had any idea of the forces working for his good—in the silent dreadness of secrecy. It is well that things work that way. The child that knows exactly what he is going to get "for being good," isn't as good as when he doesn't know.

The important thought for us all is that something is always working in our favor—so long as we keep working worthily.

Behind the dim unknown—is our grandest self, daily being born anew!

:: Short Talks on Psychology ::

By PROF. CHARLES GRAY SHAW, Ph. D.
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Your Will Works All the Time

Works on will power with their promises that they will teach you the secret of success, happiness and health are made possible by the fact that the will is a mystery. About it almost anything can be said—freedom, fate and occult power. It is true that the ways of human will are strange and past finding out.

The old idea was that the will was a sort of sleeping lion whose slumbers were not easily disturbed; once aroused the trouble began. The newer notion is that the will is in perpetual motion; that it is a sort of merry-go-round or stream on which or into which we place our private powers. This led Schopenhauer to say, "The will is not only free, but almighty," or, as we put it, the will works all the time.

Action on the part of man is due to his selecting one among many of his promising impulses; he will leap on this or that train which is moving along its own tracks. In the same way human action is a kind of signaling to these trains—saying "yes" and opening the road to one, saying "no" and closing the track to others.

The will, however, is not as much of a bolshevik as one might imagine; it responds to the idea, which must touch it off. The mysterious thing about the will is that it responds to hair-triggers; the slightest thought impulse is enough to initiate important action and a little fire kindles a great matter.

In addition to its ideal response the will has a way of postponing action until the will is ready. You think about getting up in the morning, you have the idea of leaving the office, you plan to go to the game, but instead of linking idea with act the will sets up its motions after the idea has come and gone. It works like the "delayed steal" on the diamond, like the "delayed pass" on the gridiron. The idea that you have had, say, a moment ago, an hour ago, a year ago, ten thousand years back in the past when your ancestor did your thinking for you—that idea now comes to the front as something altogether new, and you act.

Why do fighting soldiers receive the training of militia, of parade soldiers? Why all this business of "attention!" "march!" "halt?" In the skirmish there will be none of this; no, but the soldier whose will has learned to respond like gun to trigger develops a will which obeys instantly. What you think out today will be the act of tomorrow, of the far future.

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Today's Anniversaries

1792—John Cruger, first president of the New York Chamber of Commerce, died in New York city. Born there July 18, 1710.

1794—William C. Preston, United States senator from South Carolina, born in Philadelphia. Died in Columbia, S. C., May 22, 1860.

1831—The abolition of the hereditary peerage was decreed by the French parliament.

1870—The new chamber of commerce in Philadelphia was opened.

1889—Many buildings in New Westminster, B. C., were destroyed by fire.

1894—The Venezuelan claims commission held its first meeting in Washington, D. C.

Today's Birthdays

General Payton C. March, chief of staff of the United States army during the late war, born at Easton, Pa., 55 years ago today.

Dr. John M. Thomas, president of Middlebury college, born at Covington, N. Y., 50 years ago today.

M. Jonnart, a famous administrator in the French colonial service, born 62 years ago today.

A Year Ago Today in War

President Wilson replied to King George's welcome, declaring the allies united in a campaign for right and justice.

BIG LIQUOR CACHE SEIZED ON FLYER

Americus, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—One hundred and twenty-five gallons of rye liquor was seized by D. C. Megahee, a special agent of the Central of Georgia railway, on a passenger train of that company here today. The liquor is said to have belonged to Harper Jones, a negro Pullman porter, who is alleged to have said he was conveying it to Chicago, where it was to be disposed of.

Jones has been a porter on the Seminole limited, between Columbus and Chicago, for twelve years, and came to Sumter county to secure the liquor. He drank some of the stuff, however, and in driving up to the train on the dark side of the depot here made the mistake of loading it on the wrong train. The liquor was contained in nineteen kegs and was discovered by Special Agent Megahee by accident, being piled on a rear platform.

Jones was arrested and in city court entered a plea of guilty and was fined $500 by Judge W. M. Harper. He paid the fine from a roll containing $572 which officers found upon him when he was arrested. It is believed here that there is an organized traffic in liquor between Georgia points and northern cities, negro Pullman porters transporting the stuff there on passenger trains in closets and other places of concealment.

MRS. G. M. SORRELL DIES IN WARRENTON

Mrs. G. M. Sorrel died at Warrenton, Va., yesterday morning from heart failure.

Mrs. Sorrel was the widow of General G. Moxley Sorrel, who was chief of staff of General Longstreet's corps, having been commissioned a briegadier general in the confederate army on the 24th of October, 1864. She was a sister of Fleming Grantland duBignon, at one time president of the senate of Georgia, and one of the state's most brilliant lawyers and men of affairs.

She is survived by one brother, C. P. duBignon, of Atlanta, and by three nieces, Mrs. Robert C. Alston and Miss Anne Grantland duBignon, of Atlanta, and Mrs. W. C. A. Henry, of Columbus, Ohio, and by one nephew, Charles duBignon, of Moultrie, Ga.

Mrs. Sorrel was a most lovable woman. She was during her whole life a student of the south's history and its traditions, and was one of the best classical scholars of her time.

She was born at Woodville, which is the seat of the duBignon plantation in Baldwin county, this state. Her home was in Savannah, where she will be interred by the side of her husband.

MARCUS STRICKLAND RESTS IN WEST VIEW

Funeral services for Marcus C. Strickland, Sr., city warden, were conducted Friday morning from the Payne Memorial church. The Rev. W. J. de Bardeleben, pastor of the church, of which Mr. Strickland was a member, officiated, and interment was in West View cemetery.

The pallbearers were W. R. Williams, Judge O. H. Puckett, W. F. Griffin, I. F. Styron, W. W. Waite, Frank F. Smith, W. M. Martin, J. A. Kemp, W. G. Stradley and A. G. Sanders.

Officers of the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., officiated at the graveside. An honorary escort was composed of the board of stewards of the Payne Memorial church, and members of Piedmont lodge, No. 109, I. O. O. F.; Capital City lodge, No. 642, F. & A. M.; Delphi lodge, No. 68, K. P.; Eureka lodge, No. 7, J. O. U. A. M.; Appalachee tribe, No. 31, I. O. R. M.; Piedmont Rebekahs, No. 16, and Scottish Rite Masons.

He was also a member of Atlanta camp, No. 786, W. O. W.

VISITOR LOSES ROLL DURING HOLIDAY RUSH

There's a lot of keen enjoyment in mingling with the mad rush of Christmas shoppers that take possession of the downtown district previous to Christmas day. It's one form of entertainment that requires no admission price and a war tax.

But it proved expensive to W. H. Green, of Jonesboro. In a letter received from him, he states that while in Atlanta on December 22, a purse containing $61 in cash was taken from him supposedly by a pickpocket. He had come to the city to see the Christmas sights, and he thinks that he was probably robbed while worming his way through the jostling crowds of Christmas shoppers.

AFTER TAKING POISON, GIRL LEAVES HOSPITAL

Lillie Smith, 22 years of age, a waitress, who was brought to Grady hospital Christmas afternoon from her home, 98 Ivy street, suffering from what physicians thought to be poisoning, was taken to her home from the hospital Friday at her request.

It is thought that the poison was taken with suicidal intent, but the young woman declined to make any statements as to the facts of her case, and nothing was learned of the circumstances from other sources. Although she was considered to be in a serious condition by the hospital officials, she was allowed to be taken back to her home.

Diamonds Are Constantly Enhancing In Value

For many reasons diamonds are increasing in value.

The chief factor in causing diamonds to advance in price every year is because the demand far exceeds the supply.

Fifty people now want and buy diamonds where one could buy twenty years ago.

Increased insurance, larger freight rates and government taxes have caused an advance already in the primary markets.

These advances will naturally soon affect the retailers.

Now is a good time to purchase diamonds.

Write for booklet, "Facts About Diamonds," and twenty-fifth annual catalogue.

Maier & Berkele, Inc.

Diamond Merchants
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HOMES ARE ASKED FOR PRETTY TWINS; MOTHER IS DEAD

Have your heart-strings ever been pulled by the sight of the smiles of a six-month-old baby? Have you ever felt the thrill that comes from holding the little chubby fists in your own?

If you have, then, two little six-month-old twins will not be long without a mother's love, nor will they cry again for the all-enfolding embrace of a mother's love.

Superintendent T. S. Scoggins, of the Methodist orphanage at Decatur, wants to find a home for these two babies—a home where they can be well taken care of and where they will themselves bring a little joy into the lives of their foster-parents. The facilities of the orphanage, Superintendent Scoggins states, are very limited, and he wishes to place the children in the hands of someone who can give them a real home.

"The mother of this pretty pair of babies," said Superintendent T. S. Scoggins of the Georgia Baptist orphanage, "died and left them to their father, who is by no means a strong man, and utterly unable to give them the care they require. We are not prepared to keep babies of this age at the home, and we are most anxious that some one adopt them and give them a home."

Mr. Scoggins stated that the children are in fine physical condition, and that they are from very fine parentage.

"The father," he said, "would not consent to allow them to leave him but for the fact that he cannot care for them, and because he knows they will need the ministrations and love that only a woman can give."

Fivs Persons Are Held For a Demonstration In Favor of Prisoners

New York, December 26.—Five persons, including Miss Gladys Griner, daughter of John P. Griner, of Baltimore, member of the United States railway commission to Russia, were held in $500 bonds today on charges of disorderly conduct in connection with the Christmas day demonstration here of the League for Amnesty for Political Prisoners. Hearings for all of them, participants in the attempted "walk" up Fifth avenue yesterday as a demonstration in behalf of conscientious objectors and other federal convicts, have been set for next Friday.

Fifty members of the free political prisoners' committee of the People's Freedom union appeared in court when the five were arraigned. The others arrested were Dr. Gertrude Kelly, president of the Irish women's council; Miss Mary Duffy, and Julius and Samuel Friedman.

POLICE CLAIM BOYS RAN DOWN CONNERAT

Savannah, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Four lads, ranging in age from 15 to 17 years, are being held here following the running down of Captain W. Spencer Connerat, prominent young lawyer and world war veteran, yesterday, who was dangerously hurt. Police officers declare the boys confessed that the big car in which they were riding struck the young attorney and sped on. They say the boys were drinking. Captain Connerat is at a hospital, and though badly hurt, may recover. The lads are Earl Masters, said to have been driving; Paul Adams, Alford Lloyd and Raymond Harvey.

GAME VERY SCARCE IN LYERLY SECTION

Lyerly, Ga., December 26.—Local sportsmen who have been rambling the fields in search of game during the holidays returned with empty bags and with a determination not to go again soon, being foot sore and worn out over their long tour without finding game to interest them. Rabbits, the most commonly-hunted little animal, are said to be very scarce. But very few quail are to be found, and people who have been accustomed to taking their Christmas sport out in hunting were this year greatly disappointed when they found that the game had shifted to other quarters.

POLITICAL PRISONERS QUIT HUNGER STRIKE

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Dublin, December 26.—The political prisoners at Mount Joy prison abandoned their hunger strike on Christmas day following a visit of the Lord Mayor, and partook of an excellent dinner, including plum pudding. They obtained several concessions from the prison authorities.

The Irish Independent, wrecked by a raid of armed Sinn Feiners, has resumed publication.

EFFORT TO DERAIL EGYPTIAN EXPRESS

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Cairo, December 26.—An attempt was made to derail the upper Egypt express train a short distance from Cairo by heaping heavy stones upon the track. Fortunately a local train going in the opposite direction sighted the baricade and signaled the express to slow down. Slight damage was done to the express locomotive. The lives of hundreds of British officers and soldiers bound for the Soudan were saved.

SAVAGES SPEND XMAS DAY IN ANNISTON JAIL

Anniston, Ala., December 26.—(Special.)—Unable ot arrange their bonds of $10,000 and $5,000 before Christmas, M. A. and W. A. Savage, Talladega cotton mill officials, spent Christmas day in jail here. They were indicted in connection with an alleged cotton transaction in which North Carolina mills and cotton men are alleged to have been victimized to the amount of $250,000.

Henry Riddle, prominent Talladega attorney, and Solon E. Graham, indicted by the same federal grand jury that indicted the Savages, had made bonds of the same size as those required of the Savages.

NINE MORE MEN JOIN ARMY AT OFFICE HERE

A number of applicants have been accepted recently for enlistment army recruiting station, Atlanta, Ga. The list follows:

William K. Singleton, Parrott, Ga.; Pugh C. Smith, Atlana, Ga.; Harry Ames, Milwaukee, Wis.; Thomas Barnes, Rockingham, Ga.; Bent C. Phillips, Robbinsville, N. C.; Frank A. Jordan, Robbinsville, N. C.; Lucius D. Roberts, Gardi, Ga.; Theodore N. Mullen, Buffalo, N. Y., and James V. Stanfield, Nelson, Ga.

OFFICER CREMATED AT CAMP JACKSON

Columbia, S. C., December 26.—Lieutenant Charles Poates, commanding the remount station at Camp Jackson, was burned to death when the office in which he was sleeping was destroyed by fire early Christmas morning, it was announced today. The origin of the fire is unknown. Lieutenant Poates' home was in Washington, D. C.

ENVOY SENT TO ITALY BY THE BOLSHEVIKI

Paris, December 26.—A soviet republic envoy, charged with a special mission to the Italian government, arrived at Naples yesterday according to a dispatch received here from Rome.

WEST POINT TRADE IS AGAIN BOOMING

Banks Report Record Day on December 24, and Stores Are Open Again. Citizens to Personally Thank Neighboring Towns.

West Point, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—West Point is slowly recovering from the recent great flood disaster. Merchants have again opened up with new stocks and are doing a good business. Homes are again beginning to look like they did before the flood. Christmas was spent quietly, but joyously. Everybody wore a smile and greeted his neighbor in the same spirit as in pre-flood and pre-war time.

The city's greatest handicap now is the lack of communication between the east and west sides of the river by bridge. A shuttle train operated by the Atlanta and West Point railroad and the West Point relief committee runs hourly across the river from the business center of the town to Miller's crossing. This train was secured free of charge for the convenience of the public. About a dozen little boats ply the Chattahoochee at the entrance of the old foot bridge, which was swept away during the great flood, carrying passengers across from one side to the other.

As the business men meet on the streets the question is usually asked: "How did you get over this morning, by rail or water?" The West Point people are anxiously waiting for the work to actually begin on the pontoon bridge which will soon be swung across the Chattahoochee. It is understood that the construction of this bridge has been ordered and that material will soon reach the city.

The fact that both banks did the greatest business in their history on any one day in less than a week after the flood shows that West Point is climbing back to its high place in the business world and will soon be a larger and better town than before. Both banks report that their deposits on December 24 were the largest in any one day's business in the history of the banks. The First National bank had a big year and in appreciation of that fact gave each employee a bonus check of 20 per cent of his year's salary.

The wonderful work of the Red Cross will never be forgotten by the people of this city, nor will they ever forget their sister cities who have done their part nobly. The secretary of the relief commtitee has been busy writing letters of thanks to the various corporations, individuals and towns who contributed to the relief fund.

A huge committee headed by the relief committee will in the next few days visit LaGrange, Roanoke, LaFayette, Opelika and other nearby towns and thank the residents face to face for their aid. These cities played the big brother role to perfection.

EVEN SOVIET REGIME FOUGHT BY RADICALS

New York, December 26.—Evidence was given at today's executive session of the legislative committee which has been investigating radicalism in New York state, that the Union of Rusian workers, the organization to which a large proportion of the radicals recently deported on the transport Buford belonged, includes the soviet government of Russia in its antagonism to all forms of authority. George J. Starr, an investigator of the committee, testified that at one of the meetings of the organization a resolution was adopted condemning the Lenine-Trotzky vahriety of government as being as reactionary as any other form.

The committee tonight issued a statement, preliminary to the final report which will be presented to the legislature at its forthcoming session.

"In not only the large, but also in the small, center of population upstate," the statement said, "there are found men and women engaged in the radical revolutionary movement. Evidence also discloses the fact that literature of an extremely radical nature is being very generally and very openly circulated throughout the entire state, principally by organization located in New York City."

BREAK IN THE RANKS OF THE STEEL STRIKERS

Cleveland, Ohio, December 26.—First indications of a serious break in the ranks of the striking steel workers and predictions of an immediate end of the strike that has practically tied up Cleveland steel mills for three months, came today with the announcement that four lodges, claiming a membership of nearly 5,000 men, were preparing to declare a truce.

At a joint mass meeting to be held tonight the 5,000 strikers will vote to return to work or to remain out until the steel companies agree to recognize the union.

At noon indications pointed, it was said, to a vote in favor of returning to work.

DUBLIN MEN CHARGED WITH WARNOCK DEATH

Dublin, Ga. December 26 (Special) Clifford Shell and Henry Allen, county police deputies, have been arrested here on charges of the murder of Ashley Warnock, farmer, Wednesday when the latter's home was raided for an alleged liquor cache. Policeman W. E. Hattaway was also killed in the raid. The warrants for Shell and Allen were sworn out by H. W. Warnock, brother of the slain farmer. Both deny the charges. Commitment trial for both has been set for Saturday morning.

COPPER-SILVER SERVICE FOR WARSHIP ARIZONA

New York, December 26.—A Chrstmas gft of a copper and silver service, valued at $10,000, will be presented to Captain John H. Dayton, commander of the battleship Arizona, tomorrow, on behalf of the state of Arizona. The presentation will be made on board the warship, now docked in the New York navy yard, by a delegation headed by L. W. Mix and including United States Senator Henry F. Ashurst and Mrs. Ashurst, Lieutenant Commander Paul M. Bates, of Annapolis, and several former Arizonans now resident in New York city.

STANDARD OIL BUYS OIL FROM RUMANIA

Geneva, December 26.—Contracts have just been closed by the Standard Oil company with the Rumanian government and with private firms there for half a million barrels of refined petroleum, according to a Bucharest dispatch. It is said the price paid was $3,150,000 and that the oil will be taken to America by way of Constantinople on ships supplied by the American government. The contracts run through February, 1920. British firms endeavored to secure the oil but were outbid, it is reported.

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Dr. R. O. Flinn Has Pastorial Record Seldom Equalled

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a thousand members, to see his members, to see his church become church become noted throughout the country for its initiative, to have ministered to the spiritual needs of thousands besides the 2,625 who have during those twenty-one years become members of his church, and to have served as a minister overseas in the Y. M. C. A. work, is a record to which any minister might point with pardonable pride.

Such is the record of Dr. Richard Orme Flinn, who, on the first Sunday of January, twenty-one years ago, became pastor of the North Avenue Presbyterian church and has been its pastor ever since.

Now that the church has "become of age," Dr. Flinn has arranged a special home-coming anniversary service for Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, in commemoration of the event, to which everyone is cordially invited, particularly those who have at any time been members of the North Avenue church.

This special home-coming service is being held next Sunday morning instead of the first Sunday in January, owing to the new year's communion service coming on that date. Sunday night at 8 o'clock, Dr. Flinn will continue his series of Sunday evening lectures on the fundamentals of Christianity, his subject being "What Will the End Be?" On New Year's eve there will be watchnight services of song and prayer, with refreshments served by the Christian Endeavor society.

YOUTH IS KILLED AND GIRL INJURED WHEN CAR TURTLES

Commerce, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Driving up Broad street in this place yesterday afternoon, an auto owned and driven by Aut Philipps, of near Nicholson, and occupied by three other young people, swerved, burst a tire and turned turtle, pinning Roy Howington and breaking his leg. His knee was also crushed, several ribs were broken and bruises on the head produced concussion of the brain, resulting in his death last night.

Mr. Philipps, the driver, was slightly bruised, and Miss Howington, another occupant of the car and sister of the dead youth, was considerably bruised on one cheek. The car was wrecked. It is charged that the driver was under the influence of intoxicants. Philipps was arrested and released on bond, but was rearrested after the death of young Howington.

SUCCESSFUL TESTS OF NEW MOTOR FUEL

New York, December 26.—Successful tests of a motor fuel declared to be not only more economical than gasoline, but also easier on motors, were announced today by Otto Praeger, second assistant postmaster general, in charge of the air mail service.

The fuel includes 38 parts alcohol, 30 gasoline, 19 benzol, 7.5 ether and 4 toluol. Ingredients making up he remaining were not given. Mail plane No. 35 was used in the tests between New York and Washington. Another plane using high test aviation gasoline was used as a check. A saving of 3.9 gallons an hour in favor of the synthetic fuel was indicated. Economy of lubricating oil was also shown by the tests. After 125 hours in the air, the two motors were torn down and that in which the new fuel had been used was found in the better condition with a smaller deposit of carbon.

NEW ENGLAND RUM SHIPPED TO TURKEY

Boston, December 26.—Two hundred barrels of New England rum were included in the cargo of the American steamer Lake Ellsbury, which left here today for Smyrna and Constantinople. The rum was in bond and was under the supervision of government gauges until safely stowed beneath the steamer's hatches. The Lake Ellsbury's departure inaugurated a new service between this port and Rumania and Black sea ports.

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DIVORCE COURTS BEATING CUPID, RECORDS SHOW

According to statistics compiled in the superior court Friday there were 150 more divorces granted in 1919 than in 1918, while the number of marraige licenses granted remained about the same. In 1919 a total of 762 divorces were granted and in 1918, 612 were granted. This year 3,300 marriage licenses were issued, approximately the same number as granted in 1918.

At the office of the ordinary there were 38 marriage licenses issued on Christmas eve and on Christmas day five licenses were issued.

WILSON YIELDS GERMAN LINERS

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allied shipping commission to American use—the return of the American army—was accomplished. The eighth ship of the group, the Imperator, has already been turned over to the British and is being operated by the Cunard line.

Wilson's Instructions.

In announcing the president's decision, Chairman Payne of the shipping board made public his letter to Secretary Lansing transmitting instructions from the president. The letter follows:

"I am directed by the president to comply with the request contained in your letter transmitted to me this day from the white house and to advise you that the seven ex-German ships, to-wit: Graf Waldersee, Zeppelin, Pretoria, Cap Finistere, Mobile, Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm and Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, now in the harbor of New York, will be delivered to the representative of Great Britain as soon as the proper person is designated to receive the same."

The unexpected action of the shipping board last September in refusing to deliver the Imperator to the British was understood to be connected with efforts to induce the return to the Standard Oil company of twelve tankers formerly under the German flag, but now held in British custody in the Frith of Forth, by order of the supreme council. The state department took the position, however, that these were separate questions and must be dealt with separately, the United States carrying out its obligation to turn the German ships over to the British.

Fate of Tankers in Doubt.

Meantime the fate of the tankers remains in doubt. Chairman Payne recently made a proposal to the supreme council that pending adjustment of titles the tankers be put at the disposal of the United States and that Great Britain be given use of the former German liners. Great Britain agreed to this proposal, it was learned today, on the condition that the United States would furnish Great Britain, France and Italy and Belgium with oil, but it is reported withdrew her acceptance the day after it was transmitted. No explanation of the reported withdrawal was obtainable.

In the absence of Chairman John Barton Payne officials of the board today were without knowledge of the disposition of the tankers. In view of the world-wide shortage of tankers, it would be a hardship to the United States, it was declared, if these American-owned vessels should be turned over to other countries. Officials expressed the hope that the tankers would eventually be placed at the disposal of the United States.

Under the Versailles treaty, final decision as to the titles of all craft requisitioned from German harbors after the armistice rests with the reparations commission. The present dispuate, both as to the passenger vessels and to the tankers, it was asserted, can not be considered as definitely settled, the present disposition being only temporary.

No Word of Tankers.

New York, December 26.—At the office of the Standard Oil ccmpany, which claims ownership of the former German flag tankers, it was said no word had been received as to the disposition of the ships. The tankers, twelve in number, and aggregating about 70,000 tons, were in Hamburg when the armistice was signed. It was understood they were to be turned over to the Standard Oil company, but instead they were ordered to the Firth of Forth for distribution between England, France, Belgium, Italy and the United States.

The seven former German ships held here by the United States shipping board will be formally turned over to the local representative of the British ministry of shipping at noon tomorrow, it was announced today.

Army Orders.

(By Constitution Leased Wire.)

Washington, December 26.—Second Lieutenant Edwin H. Crouch, infantry, is relieved from his duties at Camp Benning, Ga., and is assigned to the 37th infantry, Fort McIntosh, Texas. So much of special orders as directs Lieutenant Colonel Lewis S. Morey, field artillery, to proceed to Atlanta, Ga., as zone property auditor, is revoked.

Goes to West Point.

(By Constitution Leased Wire.)

Washington, December 26.—Carry J. King, Jr., of Rome, has been designated candidate from the seventh Georgia district for the military academy entrance examination to be held the third Tuesday in February, 1920.

VIRGINIAN SAYS HE FEELS LIKE NEW

"A few bottles of Tanlac have made me feel like a new man all over," said James T. Powell, 15 Nelms Place, Berkely, Va., recently.

"My appetite had been very poor for three years," he continued, "and I had gotten to be so rundown, weak and nervous that it was an effort for me to work at all. For eight months past I couldn't even eat a bite of breakfast and what little I managed to eat at other times seemed to do me very little good. I was so nervous and restless that I couldn't sleep half the night through after going to bed and always felt tired and worn out. I had no energy and but little strength left and I felt miserable and unfit for anything.

"But I am an entirely different man since I began taking Tanlac. I sleep like a log every night now and get up in the morning feeling so hungry I can hardly wait for breakfast to be put on the table. I am just full of new life and energy and feel so strong and active that I believe I could win in a foot race. I have picked up several pounds in weight and am feeling just fine. There's something about Tanlac that sure does the work."

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Traitor Stain On Perlmutter Lifted by Baker

War Secretary Upsets Sentence in Case of Soldier Who Was the Only A. E. F. Member Convicted of Treason.

New York, December 26.—Secretary Baker today remitted the twenty-year sentence imposed upon Private Lawrence Perlmutter, of New York, the only member of the American expeditionary force to be convicted of treason, according to word received from Washington by Representative Siegel, of New York, who interested himself in the lad's case.

Perlmutter, who served in the medical department, 9th infantry, 2d division, was convicted of having supplied military information of value to the Germans while a prisoner of war. He was court-martialed in Coblenz after having rejoined the American army after the armistice and his sentence was approved by general headquarters.

According to Mr. Siegel, who went over the record in the case with Provost Marshal General Crowder, it was not shown that the answers which Perlmutter gave the Germans were true, and only one witness, Captain William H. Gordon, captured with him, testified against him, whereas two witnesses are needed before an American can be legally convicted of treason.

Wounded at Own Request.

In taking up the case with the war department Mr. Siegel referred to the fact that the youth bore on one wrist three scars of wounds which had been inflicted at his own request by a Canadian officer, a fellow-prisoner, to prevent the Germans from sending him to the mines. Mr. Siegel argued had Perlmutter supplied his captors with valuable information they probably would not have wished to give him such treatment.

Mr. Siegel said, when captured with Captain Gordon, April 14, 1918 he had been in the sector only ten days and at his court-martial he had contended he did not know the locations of the various units of his regiment. Captain Gordon testified that while lying on a cot he had overheard through a wall German officers question Perlmutter and the latter give the locations.

Mr. Siegel took up the case when Perlmutter returned to this country late September, en route to Fort Leavenworth to begin his sentence.

The record in the case could not be found for four months, according to Mr. Siegel, who said that after having taken the matter up with General Crowder, the latter had recommended to Mr. Baker that the sentence be cut to five years. Mr. Baker, in wiping out the entire sentence, wrote a long opinion on the case, according to Mr. Siegel.

Evidences of Hostility.

Washington, December 26.—Evidences of hostility toward the defendant by his fellow-prisoners, noted by Judge Advocate General Crowder in reviewing the case of Private Lawrence Perlmutter, were taken into consideration in ordering that the twenty-year sentence imposed on the soldier be remitted, Secretary Baker said in approving General Crowder's report.

It was also noted that, according to the evidence in the case, a conversation, alleged by these fellow-prosiners to have taken place on the night of the capture of Perlmutter and his companions, between Perlmutter and a German officer in an adjoining room, was held in English. General Crowder declared it to be "inherently improbable" that the man talking to the German officer was Perlmutter, since it had already been shown that he spoke excellent German.

In view of this doubt, Mr. Baker said, General Crowder recommended a complete remission of the sentence and he approved the recommendation.

Carter Improving; Duel Victim Buried Day Set for Wedding

Anniston, Ala., December 26.—(Special.)—Jake Carter, the young man who was desperately wounded in a pistol encounter at Maxwellborn, in which Orin Hopkins was killed, is improving, in an Anniston hospital, and has a chance to recover, the physicians say. The funeral of young Hopkins was held at Maxwellborn on the day that had been set for his marriage to young Carter's sister.

RHINE RIVER SWOLLEN BY SNOWS OF THE ALPS

Geneva, December 26.—Melting snow from the lower Alps has swollen the Rhine river to 12 feet above normal, threatening to flood lower Basle and towns along the German shore. Floating trees are doing damage. Tramway service in Basle has been reduced one-half. Serious floods are also reported from Alsace.

Heavy snows are continuing in eastern Switzerland, a fresh fall of 20 inches being reported from Dabos and St. Moritz. Many trains are stalled.

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Sensational Advance For New York Exchange

Later Months Sell More Than Cent Per Pound Over Wednesday's Close—Net Gain for Day Was 40-122 Points.

COTTON EXCHANGES CLOSED.
New Orleans and Liverpool cotton exchanges were closed yesterday and will continue closed today observing a quadruple Christmas holiday.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close.
Jan.	37.60	38.10	37.70	38.00	37.55
Mar.	35.70	36.32	35.68	36.19	35.66
May	33.35	34.60	33.35	34.45	33.35
July	31.65	32.80	31.64	32.70	31.48
Oct.	28.88	29.75	28.88	29.70	28.75

Closed steady.

AMERICAN EXCHANGE.
New York, December 26.—(Special.)—Following were ruling prices on the American Cotton and Grain Exchange, Inc., today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan.	37.62	38.20	37.62	38.20	37.63
Mar.	35.75	36.34	35.67	36.34	35.78
May	33.38	34.20	33.37	34.53	33.49
July	31.67	32.82	31.65	32.82	31.60

New York, December 26.—There was an almost sensational advance in the cotton market today with the later months selling more than a cent a pound above Wednesday's closing figures. July contracts were relatively firm, advancing to 32.80, or 132 points net higher, and closing at 32.70, with the general list closing steady at a net advance of 40 to 122 points. Compared with the ordinary volume of business during holiday week, trading was surprisingly active and buying orders were received here from both Liverpool and New Orleans, where the markets will remain closed until Monday.

The market opened steady at an advance of 2 to 17 points on bullish over-holiday news and reports of a good spot demand in the south. The firmness of the stock market on the return of the railroads was an encouraging feature, while there was also buying on reports that foreign finance corporations had already been organized to operate under the provisions of the Edge bill.

At first business was comparatively quiet, but the buying became more active as prices worked higher, and the market reached the highest levels of the day in the late trading when January sold at 38.10, which made a new high price for that delivery for the season, and a net advance of 55 points. March sold up to 36.32, or 66 points net higher, while later deliveries showed net advances of 100 to 132 points. The close was only a few points off from the best under realizing.

There was considerable trade buying, particularly during the earlier part of the day, but otherwise the bulk of the demand was attributed to covering by local and Wall street shorts, and buying here by Liverpool and New Orleans opertators, who were short in their home markets.

SPOTS IN NEW YORK.
New York, December 26.—Spot cotton steady; middling 39.25.

Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, December 26.—Cotton seed oil was higher on short covering and buying by refiners in anticipation of a better export demand and with the firm showing in cotton. Final bids were 12 to 35 points net higher. Sales, 13,400 barrels. Prime crude, 19.25; prime summer yellow spot, 21.75; January, 21.90; March, 22.23; May, 22.33; prime winter yellow and summer white, nominal.

Spot firm; prime summer yellow, 21.75; prime crude, 19.25; futures, firm; sales, 13,400. January, 21.90; March, 22.23; May, 22.33; July, 22.38.

Sea Island Cotton.

Savannah, Ga., December 26.—Sea island cotton: Fancy, 80@82c; extra choice, 78@80c; choice, 74@76c; extra fine, 65@73c; fine, 60@65c; medium fine, 55@60c; common, 50@55c; market dull; sales, 50; receipts, 183; shipments, 95; stock, 3,176; crop in sight, 14,697.

ATLANTA QUOTATIONS SPOT COTTON MARKET

ATLANTA SPOT COTTON	40.45c
Same day last year	30.80c
Receipts, bales	625
Shipments, bales	871
Stock, bales	37,564

COTTON STATEMENT

Port Movement.

New Orleans: Holiday.
Galveston: Middling, 42.75; receipts, 13,088; exports, 27,220; sales, 5,390; stock, 346,228.
Mobile: Holiday; receipts, 388; stock, 22,696.
Savannah: Receipts, 5,553; stock, 349,251.
Charleston: Middling, 39.00; receipts, 1,043; stock, 68,781.
Wilmington: Middling, 38.00; receipts, 553; stock, 50,943.
Texas City: Receipts, 5,907; stock, 88,023.
Norfolk: Middling, 38.25; receipts, 3,199; sales, 620; stock, 86,006.
Baltimore: Middling, 38.42; stock, 5,633.
Boston: Holiday; stock, 3,724.
Philadelphia: Middling, 39.50; receipts, 75; stock, 12,245.
New York: Middling, 39.25; sales, 300; stock, 62,307.

Interior Movement.

Houston: Middling, 41.50; receipts, 1,168; shipments, 1,100; sales, 2,525; stock, 214,211.
Memphis: Middling, 40.60; receipts, 4,521; shipments, 2,550; sales 1,750; stock, 231,645.
Augusta: Middling, 39.25; receipts 1,675; shipments, 500; sales, 1,526; stock, 209,180.
St. Louis: Middling, 40.50; receipts, 487; shipments, 1,735; stock, 7,952.
Little Rock: Middling, 40.75; receipts, 1,333; shipments, 1,006; sales, 1,006; stock, 55,213.
Total today: Receipts, 9,184; shipments, 6,891; sales, 7,857; stock, 718,261.

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON SITUATION

New York, December 26.—(Special.)—Our market was strong today from the opening and closed at the best prices of the day. Wall street was a free buyer. There appeared to be no fresh news, but sentiment is very bullish, and no one cares to oppose the advance. There was some buying from Europe on cables delayed over the holiday, but generally speaking, business was largely local. Free selling of March, partly for southern account and partly ascribed to Japanese interests, weakened the premium materially. It is probable the market will be strong tomorrow, as local traders expect higher prices and other markets are closed in continuation of the holiday. We would again recall the fact that in the past caution at these prices has not proved inadvisable.
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New York, December 26.—(Special.)—Although no January notices were in circulation there was weakness in the near positions and the strength of more distant months indicated a reversing of straddles. The trade was a good buyer and the market advanced 60 to 130 points, with the tone strong. Confident buying was in evidence, predicated upon belief of an early ratification of the peace treaty, and with it possibilities of larger export demand. Texas advices indicated holders are firm, with a good export demand reported.
J. W. JAY & CO.

New York, December 26.—(Special.)—This was no holiday affair and quite a few bears were rudely awakened from snug winter quarters to answer margin calls. The trade is already figuring on the next crop and its possibilities. The world needs and must have a crop of fifteen million to sixteen million to meet actual requirements, and to make a crop of anything approaching this size, the south must have most favorable seasons, more labor and a generous supply of potash.
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New York, December 26.—(Special.)—Prices advanced sharply again today, principally on active trade support. There is but little outside interest at present in the market, and as spot holders are confident of a higher price level and determined to hold for it, it is most likely the advance will continue.
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Rice.

New Orleans, December 26.—Rough rice, no sales; receipts, 825 sacks; millers, 825 sacks.
Clean rice, strong; sales, Japan, 200 pockets, 12⅛; Blue Rose, 6,166 pockets, 7½@12⅝; receipts, 13,651.
Bran, per ton, $35; polish, $65.

Dry Goods.

New York, December 26.—General dry goods ruled very firm today and quiet in most divisions. Print cloths, yarns and wool koods were higher.

CURB SECURITIES

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Industrials.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Aetna Exp.	8	7¾	8
Allied Packers	6¼	5⅝	6¼
Brit.-Am. Tob.	26	26	26
Carlight	3	2⅞	3
Colonial Tire	9⅝	9	9⅝
Cont. Motors	13¼	13	13
Gen. Asphalt	112	110½	112
Grapeola	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
Hupp Motors	14⅞	14½	14⅞
North Am. Pulp	4¼	4	4½
Overland Tire	28¼	28¼	28¼
Tob. Prod. Exp.	31	30¼	31
Wayne Coal	4⅞	4⅝	4¾
Nunnally	21¼	21¾	21¾
Standard Oils.			
S. O. New York	446	444	446
do. New Jersey	725	725	725
Independent Oils.			
Amalg. Royalty	1⅛	1	1⅛
Cosden	9	8¾	9
Elk Basin	8⅞	8½	8⅞
Esmeralda Oil, new	¼	¼	¼
Federal Oil	4⅝	4¼	4½
Glenrock	3⅜	3¼	3⅜
Guffey Gillespie	36¼	35½	35¾
Indianhoma Ref.	9⅝	9	9
Inter. Pet.	73⅝	64½	71
Island Oil	6	5⅝	5⅝
Merritt	19¼	18⅝	19¼
Metro Pet.	3	3	3
Midwest Ref.	162	163	167
Magna	9	8¾	9
North Amer. Oil	5	4½	5
Ohio Ranger	1	⅞	⅞
Prod. & Ref.	10	9⅞	9⅞
Salt Creek Prod.	40⅝	40	40¼
Sims Pet.	71½	65	70½
Bonds.			
Allied Packers 6s	79	78	79
Am. T. & T. 6s	96⅝	96	96¾
Anaconda 6s	96	96	96
Russian Gov. 6½s	23½	22	23½
Swedish Gov. 6s	90	89	90
Swiss Gov. 5½s	88⅞	88⅛	88½
Russian Gov. 5½s	22¼	21½	22
I. R. T. 7s	73	72½	73
Laclede 7s	96½	96½	96½

Bonds in New York.

U. S. 2s, registered, bid	100
do. coupon, bid	100
U. S. convertible 3s, registered, bid	88½
do, coupon, bid	88½
U. S. 4s, registered, bid	105½
do. coupon, bid	105½
Amer. Tel. & Tel. cv. 6s	98⅝
Anglo-French 5s	95½
Atchison gen. 4s	79⅝
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	79½
Balti. & Ohio cv. 4½s	59¼
Bethlehem Steel ref. 5s	87
Central of Ga. Consolidated 5s, bid	85
Central Leather 5s	96
Chesa. & Ohio cv. 5s	78⅜
Chi., B. & Quincy joint 4s	94⅞
Chi., Mil. & St. P. cv. 4½s	63½
Chi., R. I. & Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	66½
City of Paris 6s	92½
Colorado & Southern ref. 4½s	73
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s, offered	45½
Dominion of Canada 5s, 1931, bid	91⅛
Erie gen. 4s	41
Illinois Central ref. 4s	76¾
Inter. Mer. Marine 6s	94
Kansas City Southern ref. 5s	72
Liggett & Myers 5s, bid	85
Louisville & Nashville un. 4s	82⅜
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	59
Missouri Pacific gen. 4s	58¼
N. Y. Central deb. 6s	90½
Norfolk & Western cv. 6s	104
Northern Pacific 4s	79½
Pennsylvania Consolidated 4½s	89½
Pennsylvania gen. 5s	90¾
Reading gen. 4s	80
Republic Iron & Steel 5s, 1940, bid	92¼
St. Louis & San Fran. adj. 6s	60
S. A. L. adj. 5s	35½
Southern Bell Tel. 5s, bid	84¾
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	105
Southern Railway 5s	86⅞
Southern Railway gen. 4s	60
Texas Company cv. 6s, bid	102
Texas & Pacific 1st, bid	82½
Union Pacific 4s	85
U. S. Steel 5s	96⅝
Va.-Caro. Chemical 5s, bid	93⅞
Wabash 1st	89⅞

Weekly Cotton Review

New York, December 26.—While much of the past week's business has been of a pre-holiday character, prices have shown increasing strength and there has evidently been a revival of bullish sentiment in the cotton market.

Notices representing several thousand bales were issued against December, but were stopped by houses connected with southwestern shipping interests, and January deliveries sold at the highest price they have touched so far this season during today's trading. There was also a more active trade demand for the later deliveries and prices have advanced a cent to a cent and a half a pound since the close of the previous Friday.

Fresh buying for long account has been restricted by holiday considerations and except for the trade buying the demand has been attributed largely to covering by shorts. Notwithstanding this, bullish opinions have been more freely expressed around the ring, with the enactment of the Edge bill, the return of the railroads, the steadier ruling of exchange rates and the hope of favorable peace treaty developments early in the new year, evidently maintaining a very favorable impression on sentiment.

Beyond that buyers have found encouragement in the pre-holiday liquidation by spot holders, and the continued bullish character of the news from the goods trade. Manchester advices indicate that British spinners have booked a very large business, while it is claimed that domestic spinners are sold ahead at prices based on present or higher values for spot cotton and that they still have considerable cotton to buy.

The situation in this respect has led to predictions of an increased spot demand after the turn of the year, while it is anticipated that foreign finance corporations operating under the provisions of the Edge bill will have a stabilizing effect on foreign exchange rates. The reiterated warning of the federal reserve board against the use of bank resources in withholding commodities from market for speculative purposes attracted very little comment and the advance toward the end of the week was accompanied by expressions of confidence in the stability of southern spot markets.

RAIL STATEMENT ADVANCES STOCKS

Activity Spread From Transportation Group to Equipments and Steels and Became General Throughout the List.

New York, December 26.—Resumption of trading on the stock exchange after the Christmas recess was attended by greater activity and breadth of operations, due chiefly to a general demand for railroad shares.

President Wilson's proclamation ordering the return of these properties to private ownership on March 1 next stimulated the entire transportation division, the buying soon extending to railroad equipments and kindred steels.

Tobaccos, shipping, oils, motors and numerous peace industrials were added to the list in the ccurse of the almost steady rise, together with food shares and issues of no definite classification.

For the first time this month traders and commission houses reported a visible quickening of public interests, although the major portion of the day's purchases probably originated from short covering.

Approval of the president's decree was almost universal in railway and financial circles, but it was realized that the uncertain course of federal legislation still leaves the transportation situation in an obscure state.

Heavy deposits of holiday, or "shopping" funds are expected to correct last week's depletion of bank reserves, but call money rose to 15 per cent after opening at 10, holding at the maximum rate at the close.

Offerings of time money were nominal, country banks buying freely of commercial paper.

Liberty bonds were steady and foreigns featureless, but the general domestic list hardened on further buying of speculative rails Total sales, par value, totalled $32,600,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Stocks in New York.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Am. Beet Sugar	94	93⅞	94	93½
Am. Can	55	53⅝	54¾	53¼
Am. Car & Fdy.	141	138	141	138¼
Am. H. & L., pfd.	121	116¼	121	115½
Am. Inter. Corp.	115	111¼	115	111⅜
Am. Locomotive	103½	98⅝	103	97¾
Am. Linseed	78	77¼	77½	75⅛
Am. Smelting & Refining	68	67	68	66¾
Am. Sugar	139	138	138	137½
Am. Sumatra Tob.	99	97	97½	96⅜
Am. Tel. & Tel.	97½	96⅜	96½	97⅜
Am. Tobacco	289½	277	277	276
Anaconda Copper	61¼	58½	60½	58½
Atchison	84	83⅛	83⅝	82¾
A. C. L.	91	90½	90½	89
Atl., Gulf & W. I.	175	172½	174	174
Baldwin Locomotive	112¾	110	112¾	110
Balti. & Ohio	34	33¼	33½	32¼
Beth. Steel "B"	96⅞	94½	96⅝	93¾
Canadian Pacific	132¾	131⅝	132¾	131
Central Leather	97⅞	95⅝	97⅞	95¾
Chesa. & Ohio	56¼	54⅝	55¾	54¾
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	38⅝	38	38¼	36⅝
Chi., R. I. & Pac.	27⅞	27	27½	26⅜
Chino Copper	36¾	35⅝	36⅝	35¾
COCA-COLA	40⅛	39⅝	40½	39¾
Colo. Fuel & Iron	41¾	39½	41½	40
Corn Products	86	85½	85⅝	84⅛
Crucible Steel	218	212½	217½	212
Cuba Cane Sugar	51¼	50⅝	51¼	50⅛
Erie	13⅝	13⅛	13⅜	13⅛
Gen. Electric	167½	167½	167½	168½
Gen. Motors	338	332½	337	330½
Great North., pfd.	79⅝	78⅝	79⅛	78¼
Great North. Ore Ctfs.	38½	37⅝	38¼	37⅝
Gulf States Steel	72½	68¾	71⅝	68⅞
Illinois Central	87¼	86	86¼	87
Inspiration Copper	57¼	54	56⅝	54¾
Inter. Mer. Marine pfd.	109¼	109¼	109¼	108½
Inter. Nickel	25⅝	22⅛	23½	21⅞
Inter. Paper	78	75	77	74¾
Kennecott Copper	29¼	28¼	29¼	28¼
Louis. & Nash.	111	109½	109⅝	111
Maxwell Motors	33⅝	32⅝	33⅜	32¾
Mexican Pet.	223½	218½	222¼	218¼
Miami Copper	23	22½	23	23
Midvale Steel	50⅛	48⅝	50⅛	48½
Missouri Pacific	27¼	26½	26¾	25⅝
N. Y. Central	70⅜	69½	69⅞	69½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	28¼	26¾	27½	26½
Norfolk & Western	99	96½	96½	98¼
Northern Pacific	81	79⅝	80	79⅝
Ohio Cities Gas	46½	45¼	46⅜	45¾
Oklahoma Prod. & Refining	9⅝	9¼	9¼	9¼
Pan-American Pet.	106	104⅝	105	104⅞
Pennsylvania	40⅝	40¼	40⅜	40¼
Pitts. & W. Va.	30⅝	28⅞	29⅝	28
Ray Cons. Copper	20¼	20⅛	20¼	20
Reading	78¼	76⅞	77⅛	76½
Rep. Iron & Steel, ex-right	120½	114	119¾	113½
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	99	98⅛	98½	97¾
S. A. L.	7¼	7	7	7¼
do. pfd.	15⅜	14¼	15	13⅛
Sinclair Oil & Rfg.	43⅜	42½	43⅜	42⅜
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	75	72	74½	71
Southern Pacific	104½	103½	104¼	103⅛
Southern Railway	24	22⅞	23¼	21⅝
do. pfd.	57	55⅜	56½	55⅝
Studebaker Corp.	104⅞	103⅜	104½	104
Tennessee Copper	10	9⅞	10	9⅞
Texas Co.	226⅜	223¼	226	223¼
Tobacco Products	95⅝	93⅜	94⅜	93½
Union Pacific	124	123⅜	123⅜	122⅛
U. S. Retail Stores	93¼	92	92½	91⅞
United Fruit	200	199	200	198
U. S. Food Prod.	78⅜	78	78	77½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	111½	109¼	110½	109½
U. S. Rubber	126¼	125¼	126	124
U. S. Steel	106⅞	104⅝	106⅜	104½
do. pfd.	113⅛	112⅞	113	113
Utah Copper	75	73½	74⅜	73¼
Va.-Caro. Chem.	66⅜	65⅝	66	65¼
Western Union	87⅛	87	87	87
Westinghouse Elec.	54⅞	53⅝	54	53¼
Willys-Overland	28	27½	27¾	27½

Total sales, 1,270,000 shares.

OTHER SECURITIES

Quotations Supplied by Securities Sales Company, Grant Building.

	High.	Low.	Prev. Close.
Allis	49⅞	47	49⅞
Am. Cotton Oil	49⅜	48⅞	49½
Am. Hide & Leather Com.	266	25	26
Am. Ice	....	....	47¼
Am. Ship. & Com.	28⅝	27¾	27⅝
Am. Steel Fdy.	48½	44⅝	45
Am. Wool	130⅞	126	130⅞
Beth. Motors	....	....	28
Chile Copper	19	18⅝	19
Chandler Motors	130	124	129¾
Columbia Graph.	62⅞	61	62⅞
Goodrich Rubber	80¼	79½	80
Kelly-Springfield	138	138	138
Keystone T. & R.	41	39¼	40¼
Lackawanna Steel	88½	85⅝	88
Marine	49¼	47⅜	48⅜
do. pfd.	109¼	108¼	109¼
Pierce-Arrow	77⅞	75⅝	77
Pressed Steel Car	102¼	100	101
Texas & Pacific	43⅞	41½	43
Transcontinental Oil	37¼	36½	37¼
United Ret. Stores	93¼	92	92⅝
White Motors	....	....	58
Worthington Pump	90	86	88⅛
Wilson & Co.	80	80	80

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Wall Street Relieved Over Railway Decision

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New York, December 26.—Wall Street felt greatly relieved over the president's Christmas eve announcement that the railroads would be returned to their owners March 1 instead of January 1. This relief was reflected in the market for railway shares. Atchison, which closed at 82 3-4 Wednesday, opened at 83 1-2 this morning and then advanced to 84. Baltimore & Ohio during the first hour touched 34 against Wednesday's closing price of 32 1-4. Chesapeake and Ohio was up 54 3-4 to 56 1-2, Great Northern from 78 1-4 to 79 314, Northern Pacific from 79 3-4 to 81, Reading from 76 1-2 to 78 1-4.

During the first hour there was more activity in the railroad stocks than for many days past. Around 11 o'clock, however, traders began to hold back for the opening rate on call money. It was 10 per cent. The rate afterwards went to 15 per cent.

Equipment Strong.

Railway equipment shares were very strong. With the carriers to be returned to their owners on March 1, manufactures of locomotives and freight and passenger cars see good business ahead for years to come. It is estimated in railway equipment circles that our own railroads are in need of $3,000,000,000 worth of rolling stock, with other countries looking to us for from $500,000,000 to $1,000,000,000 worth of business, enough to keep the equipment manufacturers running from 3 to 5 years.

Beyond question Wall street was worried over the immediate outlook for the railroads, for no one knew what would happen if President Wilson had carried out his plan for ending federal control January 1. Wall street bankers, having large holdings of railway securities, such as George F. Baker, did not hesitate today to say that the date now fixed by the president for the return of the railroads is satisfactory. However, in each instance it was added that as far as the pending legislation is concerned that question is just where it was before. Congress and the senate must reach an agreement on the Esch and Cummins bill before March 1. Both of these bills provide for temporary continuation of the government guarantee during a period of readjustment.

But there are important questions to be settled for the longer future and on a number of fundamental points congress and the senate are still wide apart. Wall street believes that an agreement will be reached before March 1. However, it is also believed that the uncertainty over the railroads will continue until the pending legislation is actually passed and signed.

Wall Street Gossip.

One factor which makes continued uncertainty in the railroad situation is the attitude of labor. The strong railway unions, Wall Street feels, will do everything in their power to kill the clause of the Cummins bill dealing with strikes. It is also believed that railway labor is goin gto make the strongest fight it can to get another increase in wages before federal control ends. The figures now being heard are for an increase of $1,000,000,000 in wages. That would eat up a 25 per cent increase in freight rates. The railroads themselves say they need a 25 per cent raise in rates to meet both ends meet after the return to private ownership. Wall street is asking what effect a 50 per cent increase in freight rates would have on the cost of living problem.

Tobacco stocks were very strong today on renewed merger and combination talk. Some of the pending deals undoubtedly will be carried through. However, it is worth keeping in mind that talk is being heard of the legality of some of the tobacco combinations already formed which start at the factory and take in retail stores. With the home and foreign demand for tobacco and tobacco products at high record the outlook is bright for tobacco companies. Two distinct classes of tobacco stocks are being traded in today, one representing the business itself, and the other representing the activities of get-rich-quick promoters.

Rail Securities.

During the coming year the railroads must take care of $279,000,000 maturing securities against $345,000,000 this year and $258,000,000 in 1918. New York Central alone has $28,000,000 notes coming due in 1920.

An initial dividend of 16 per cent was declared on corn products today is a quarterly payment with ½ of 1 per cent extra.

Investment dealers are puzzled as to the direction that will be taken by purchasers of securities when the next wave of investment buying develops.

Foreign Issues.

At the present moment the market for foreign government issues is very stale, and bankers cannot see a much brighter outlook ahead. Uncertainty shrouds the railway situation. Traction companies are still contending with the difficulty of high costs and fixed rates of fares. The government itself has ceased to issue bonds, thereby presumably leaving a vacuum that will eventually be filled up somehow. If the railway situation is clarified by congress and the finances of the roads put on a sound basis a revival of interest in railway securities is inevitable. Moreover, there will, before long, be available the first issues of debentures under the Edge bill, which will indicate the degree of favor which securities of this kind will meet with. A prerequisite of broad investment buying, dealers believe, is a reduction of the cost of living and a curtailment of extravagance.

Opinion seems to be evenly divided as to whether sterling exchange will recover further or decline again after the first of the year. The rates declined to $3.75 today after selling at $3.81 on Wednesday, and $3.83 1-4 the day before. Much of the recovery was due to the expectation that the United States will, before long, extend some sort of credit to Europe. Herbert Hoover and the secretary of the treasury have emphasized the need of providing foodstuffs. The issue, therefore, seems to depend largely on government action, rather than on purely financial considerations.

Nickel to Boom.

Reports heard around the street that the long stagnation in the nickel industry is about to be broken was responsible for an upward movements in the shares of the International Nickel company on the local exchange today. This business has been hard hit by the readjustment from a war to a peace basis, and, as the worst is now over, officials closely connected with the affairs of this company are predicting better days ahead. International Nickel shares have been scraping bottom for some time without any signs of a recovery. There was considerable recovery in today's market, however.

Directors of the Inspiration Copper company met today and declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 on the capital stock. This action did not cause any surprise in the street, as it had been looked for in view of the proclamation [illegible] the regular dividend by Anaconda a few days ago. Previous to de[illegible]tion of the Anaconda dividend, however, there was talk of a reduction, but this talk was dispelled by Anaconda's connection. The Anaconda owns a large block of Inspiration shares.

Earnings of $65 per share for the year ending September 30, 1919, reported by the Cuba American Sugar company illustrate what these companies are making out of the high prices for sugar.

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RAILROAD ORDERS DEPRESS GRAINS

Prospect of Heavy Movement Has Decided Bearish Effect on Both Corn and Oats — Provisions Also Receded.

Chicago, December 26.—Railroad orders to put grain ahead of all other commodities in the movement of freight from the west and northwest had a decided bearish effect today on the corn market.

Prices closed heavy, 2½ to 4⅝c net lower, with January $1.31¼ to $1.31½ and May $1.30½ to $1.30⅝. Oats declined ⅝ to ⅞c net. In provisions the outcome varied from 75c loss to a rise of 10c.

Corn traders were prompt to infer that the extra effort to handle grain in preference even to coal would result in a material enlargement of corn receipts here and at other leading terminals. Some dissenters pointed out that it was one thing to give grain the preference, but another thing to furnish the cars.

Nevertheless, the weakness of the market grew more and more pronounced, and values broke sharply in the last part of the session. Under these circumstances bullish factors like the signing of the Edge bill or the Barnes' plan to help feed Europe had no apparent influence on prices.

Despite liberal export sales, oats went lower with corn.

Higher quotations on hogs led to an advance in provisions, but offerings increased, and a setback followed, especially in pork and ribs.

CHICAGO QUOTATIONS.

The following were the ruling prices on the exchange Friday:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close
CORN—					
Dec.	1.43	1.43	1.39	1.39¼	1.43
Jan.	1.34⅞	1.35¼	1.31¼	1.31¼	1.35⅝
May	1.32½	1.33	1.30½	1.30½	1.33⅛
OATS—					
May	.83	.83½	.82⅝	.82½	.83¾
July	.76¼	.76⅝	.75⅝	.75⅝	.76⅝
PORK—					
Jan.	....	....	....	38.00	38.00
May	....	37.00	36.50	36.50	37.25
LARD—					
Jan.	23.75	23.85	23.65	23.77	23.70
May	24.70	24.80	24.05	24.60	24.55
RIBS—					
Jan.	....	19.05	18.70	18.70	18.97
May	....	19.57	19.37	29.37	19.50

Local Market Quotations

ATLANTA BANK CLEARINGS.

BANK CLEARINGS FRIDAY	$15,036,203.92
Same day last week	15,702,088.84
Same day last year	10,742,582.04
Increase over same day last year	4,294,621.88

ATLANTA MARKETS

(Prices quoted by wholesale dealers to retailers. Corrected daily by the State Bureau of Markets, State Capitol, Atlanta.)

EGGS, POULTRY AND BUTTER.

Eggs, per dozen, No. 1 candled	$0.75
Eggs, storage, No. 1 candled April, per dozen	.50
Eggs, cold storage, No. 1 candled, sterilized	.65
Friers, live, per pound	.37
Hens, live, per pound	.28
Roosters, live, per pound	.17
Ducks, live, per pound	.27
Geese, per pound	.22
Turkeys, live, per pound	42½
do. dressed, per pound	.47½
Butter, creamery, quarters	.70
Butter, choice table, per pound	.60
Butter, cooking, per pound	.45
PRODUCE.	
Cabbage, per cwt.	$4.50
Irish potatoes, cwt.	3.75
Onions (red), cwt.	5.00
Snap beans, hampers	3.00
Oranges, Florida, crate	4.25
Grapefruit	$3.50@ 4.10
Tomatoes, six-crate baskets	$3.00@ 4.00
Sweet potatoes, cwt.	2.50
FEED STUFFS.	
Mixed stock feed, ton	$48@$70.00
Corn, No. 2 bushel	2.04
Oats, No. 3, bushel	1.07
Hay, No. 1 timothy, per ton	44.00
Hay, alfalfa, per ton	50.00
Shorts, gray, ton	66.00
Shorts, brown, ton	60.00
Bran, per ton	52.00
Chicken feed, cwt., sacked	$3.75@ 4.50
Alfalfa meal, ton	51.00
Cotton seed meal, 7 per cent, per ton	75.00
Cotton seed hulls, ton	19.00
GROCERIES.	
Corn meal, cwt.	$ 4.15
Flour, 24-lb. sacks (per bbl.)	12.40
Flour, 48-lb. sacks (per bbl.)	12.20
Flour, self rising	add. .25
Cheese	.35

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Ga., December 26.—Turpentine firm, $1.58@1.58½; sales, 349; receipts, 175; shipments, 5; stock, 13,740.
Rosin, firm; sales, 930; receipts, 819; shipments, ——; stock, 53,193.
Quote: B, D, E, F, G and H, $16.30@16.40; I, $16.85@17; K, $18.10@18.25; M, $18.25@19; N and window glass, $20; water white, $21.25.

Jacksonville, Fla., December 26.—Turpentine, firm; $1.59¼; sales, 64; receipts, 50; shipments, 315; stock, 10,079.
Rosin, firm; sales, 1,494; receipts, 399; shipments, 1,497; stock, 88,601.
Quote: B, D and E, $16.35; F, $16.35@16.50; G, $16.35@16.55; H, $16.40@16.60; I, $16.75@17.00; K, $18.25@18.35; M, $18.75; N, $19.50; window glass, $20.60@20.75; water white, $21.25.

Cash Grain.

Chicago, December 26.—Cash corn, No. 2 mixed, unquoted; No. 3 mixed, $1.40½@1.42½; No. 2 yellow, unquoted; No. 3 yellow, $1.40@1.42½.
Oats, No. 2 white, 85¼@87c; No. 3 white, 83@85¾c.
Rye, No. 2, $1.81@1.82.
Barley, $1.50@1.62.
Timothy seed, $8.50@11.50.
Clover seed, $30@48.

St. Louis, December 26.—Corn, No 3, $1.45; No. 2 white, old, $1.54; January, $1.33 asked; May, $1.31½.
Oats, No. 3, 84@84½c; No. 3 white, 86c; May, 84⅛c asked.

Provisions.

Chicago, December 26.—Cash: Pork, nominal.
Lard, $23.60@23.70.
Ribs, $18.25@19.25.

Opened With Doubt, 1919 Ends With Good Record of Business

New York, December 26.—Dun's tomorrow will say:

"A year that opened with doubts and misgivings as to economic developments to follow, now nears its ending with the future still clouded, but with conditions having manifested far more stability than had been generally expected twelve months previous. While readjustments that have brought with them some problems even more formidable and difficult of solution than those of war-times have necessarily caused inconvenience and unsettlemen in business, yet the widespread and serious industrial and mercantile reaction of which many interests had been apprehensive has not only failed to make its appearance, but 1919 has set new high levels in domestic commerce, and new low records in failures.

"These results, moreover, have been attained in spite of greater labor unrest than ever before known, and notwithstanding a persistent interference with productive and distributive processes that has intensified the shortages in many commodities and has prevented transactions of magnitude might otherwise have been consummated.

"Weekly bank clearings, $7,118,919 276."

Conservative Bonds for Prudent Investors

		Maturity.	Price.	Price to Yield.
$ 25,000	Federal Land Bank Farm Loan 4½s	1939	Market	
	Opt. May 1, 1924, & any int'st date thereafter			
$100,000	Joint Stock Land Bank (tax exempt) 5s	1939	Market	
	Opt. May 1, 1924, & any int'st date thereafter			
$ 30,000	Great Britain and Ireland 5½s	1921	Market	8.10%
$ 25,000	Great Britain and Ireland 3 yr. 5½s	1922	Market	7.05%
$ 25,000	Great Britain and Ireland 10 yr. 5½s	1929	Market	6.15%
$ 10,000	Swedish Government 5s	1929	Market	7.00%
$ 15,000	Government of Switzerland 5½s	1929	Market	7.25%
$ 25,000	Republic of China 6% Notes	1921	Market	7.50%
$100,000	Anglo-French 5s	1920	Market	10.50%
$ 3,000	Kingdom of Norway 6s	1923	98½	6.45%
$ 30,000	Bordeaux, Lyons and Marseilles, France 6s	1934	92½	6.80%
$ 20,000	City of Paris, France 5s	1921	Market	10.50%
$ 10,000	Georgia State (Registered) 3½s	1927	94.63	4.40%
$ 2,000	Georgia State Coupon 3½s	1928	94.30	4.35%
$ 1,000	Georgia State Coupon 3½s	1934	96.38	4.35%
$ 1,000	Georgia State Coupon 3½s	1935	96.17	4.35%
$ 2,000	Georgia State Coupon 4s	1926	98½	4.30%
$ 10,000	Georgia State Coupon 4¼s	1941	100¼	4.25%

Tax Exempt Municipal Bonds

The following is a list of Municipal Bonds exempt from all Federal Income Taxes, affording attractive yields. These bonds are selected from our extensive general list.

		Maturity	Price	Yield
$ 42,000	Chatham County, Georgia, 4½s	1945	96.33	4.75%
$ 11,000	Chatham County, Georgia, 4½s	1938	96.95	4.75%
$ 2,000	Chatham County, Georgia, 4½s	1939	96.84	4.75%
$198,000	Bibb County, Georgia, 4½s	1920-1934		4.75%
$ 95,000	Charleston County, S. C., Road 4½s	1934	97.75	4.75%
	(Tax exempt in South Carolina)			
$ 15,000	Troup County, Georgia, 5s	1931	102.12	4.75%
$ 13,000	Thomas County, Georgia, 5s, serially	1939-1948		4.75%
$ 32,000	LaGrange, Ga. (formerly Southwest 5s, LaGrange), serially	1924-1935		4.80%
$ 7,000	Spalding County, Georgia, 5s	1938	103.05	4.75%
$ 3,000	Spalding County, Georgia, 5s	1922	100.50	4.80%
$325,000	Morgan County, Georgia, 5s, serially	1929-1948		4.75%
$ 27,000	Americus, Georgia, 4½s	1946	96.25	4.75%
$250,000	Cook County, Georgia, 5s, serially	1921-1948		4.80%
$ 47,000	Cartersville, Georgia, 5s, serially	1926-1946		4.75%
$ 20,000	City of Douglas, Georgia, 5s	1949	102.36	4.85%
$140,000	Chester, S. C., 5s, serially	1921-1950		4.85%
	(Tax exempt in South Carolina)			
$ 15,000	Barnesville, Ga., 5s	1943-1945	102.86	4.80%
$ 1,000	Barnesville, Ga., 6s	1925	104.38	5.00%
$ 5,000	Covington, Georgia, 5s	1938	102.47	4.80%
$ 90,000	Abbeville, S. C., 5s	1949	103.16	4.80%
	(Tax exempt in South Carolina)			
$ 32,000	Calhoun, Ga., 5s	1921-1943		4.85%
$ 2,000	Athens, Georgia (Registered) 4½s	1943		4.75%
$ 4,000	Albany, Georgia, 5s	1945	103.67	4.75%
$ 3,000	Thomaston, Ga., 5s	1938-1940	102.47	4.80%
$ 2,000	Walton County, Georgia, Road 5s	1924	100.80	4.80%

Upon request we shall be pleased to send individual circulars on any of the above, or our complete general circular.

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Sports — CONDENSING THE DOPE

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Athletic Club Quintet Meets Spartans Tonight

Locals Must Play Well to Annex Scalp of Carolina Five — Westmoreland to Go in at Forward.

With Atlanta fans still in the holiday mood and with the team in perfect trim, the Atlanta Athletic club will tonight undertake the job of adding another scalp to her choice collection when she takes on the Spartanburg Y. M. C. A. quintet.

That this will be no easy undertaking is evidenced by the fact that the Spartans come here with the best record of any team that the Bean Boys have met this season, but the locals are confident of victory by means of hard playing and headwork.

Johnny Westmoreland, veteran player of the club, who has been refereeing games, is back in harness and will appear at forward, Sullivan being shifted to guard for the contest.

The club five will meet the Illinois A. C. quintet here on the evening of January 3, the game to be staged at the Auditorium. Saturday night, January 10, the locals play their first road game in Birmingham with that city's athletic club, which is disputing with the A. A. C. for title honors for the south.

Woman Polish Leader Brings Two Libel Suits; She Asks for $1,000,000

Chicago, December 26.—Miss Emily Napieralski, president of the Polish Woman's alliance, today started two suits for $500,000 each, alleging libel against the Polish National Publishing company and the Polish National alliance and officials of the organization. John F. Smulski, majority stockholder in the publishing company, and Casimir Zychlinski, president of the alliance, and some of the editors of the Polish publications were among the defendants. It was alleged that an article in Polish publications named Miss Napieralski as being instrumental in obtaining a contract from the Polish minister of finance for an American corporation to raise $250,000,000 for use in Poland and that the company was profiting unduly. Miss Napieralski declared the published story erroneous and that her recent mission to Poland was in connection with work for Polish orphans.

SOVIET VAGARIES TURN UP IN COURT

Baltimore, December 26.—Some of the vagaries of sovietism turned up before Judge Rose in the United States district court today, when two radicals appeared on habeas corpus proceedings. They said they wanted to go back to Russia, and, when they were given assurance by District Attorney Dennis that they were headed in that direction, they decided to dismiss their petition, in the belief they had won a victory.

They were Gregory Moroz and Kazimer Benecewich, who were scheduled to sail aboard the first "soviet ark," but whose departure was delayed by the habeas corpus action to obtain their release. Immigration Commissioner Stump said they would be sent to Ellis Island as quickly as possible to sail on the second transport.

Georgians Get Pensions.

(By Constitution Leased Wire.)

Washington, December 26.—Following Georgians granted pensions: Doro Weitzler, Atlanta, $12; Mary D. Shearouse, Guyton, $12.

AMERICANS WIN OVER FRENCHMEN

Pal Moore and Johnnie Griffiths Easy Winners. Lewis Stops Wells. Beckett Asks Another Go With Carpentier.

London, December 26.—Two American fighters, Pal Moore, bantamweight, and Johnny Griffiths, welterweight, decisively defeated French opponents in the ring at Albert Hall tonight.

In what was to have been a 20-round bout, Moore made Eugene Criqui quit in the fourteenth round, while Griffiths scored a technical knockout over Francois Charles in the third round. Both Criqui and Charles declared that they had been hit low.

Ted ("Kid") Lewis administered a bad beating to Matt Wells in 12 rounds, cutting his face to ribbons and breaking his nose. Wells gave up the unequal struggle in the twelfth round.

Moore severely trounced Criqui. In the fourteenth round the American sailed into the Frenchman and with a hard right hook to the stomach doubled him up. Criqui quit. He claimed that Moore had fouled him, but he made no formal protest. It was also a right hook to the stomach that caused Charles to refuse to continue with Griffiths. He likewise claimed the American's blow was low.

During the evening, Georges Carpentier, the European heavyweight champion, boxed a three-round exhibition bout. Joe Beckett, who recently was knocked out by Carpentier, entered the ring and requested another fight with the Frenchman.

NEBRASKA WELCOME FOR GEN. PERSHING

Lincoln, Neb., December 26—An "all Nebraska" reception for General John J. Pershing was held tonight at the state capitol attended by a large crowd of Lincoln people and many visitors from over the state. It was to give the public generally an opportunity not afforded at the more exclusive functions to meet General Pershing.

In the receiving line with the general were Governor McKelvie and Mayor Miller, of Lincoln, together with a number of mayors from other towns in the state.

Earlier in the day General Pershing was the honor guest at a luncheon tendered by a merchant's club. Tonight's reception was informal.

Captain W. M. Evans Dead.

Mobile, Ala., December 26.—Captain William M. Evans, vice president of the Alabama Dry Dock and Shipbuilding company and who built the first all-steel vessel in Mobile, died today of heart failure.

MARKETS

Live Stock.

Chicago, December 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 81,000; estimated tomorrow, 12,000; active, mostly 10 to 20c higher; bulk, $13.50@13.65; top, $13.75; heavy, $13.50@13.65; medium, $13.55@13.75; light, $13.40@13.60; light light, $13.15@13.35; heavy packing sows, smooth, $12.75@13.25; packing sows, rough, $12.00@12.75; pigs, $12.25@13.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; estimated tomorrow, 3,000; weak. Beef steers, medium and heavy weight, choice and prime, $18.75@20.00; medium and good, $11.00@18.75; common, $8.75@11.00; light weight, good and choice, $14.00@19.50; common and medium, $8.00@14.00; butcher cattle, heifers, $6.40@14.75; cows, $6.35@13.50; canners and cutters, $5.25@6.35; veal calves, $15.50@16.75; feeder steers, $7.00@12.25; stocker steers, $6.00@10.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; estimated tomorrow, 5,000; strong. Lambs, $16.90@18.50; culls and common, $12.00@15.75; ewes, medium and good, $8.25@11.00; culls and common, $4.50@8.00.

East St. Louis, December 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; 5 to 10c lower; top, $14.15; bulk, $13.75@14.00; heavy weight, $13.75@14.00; medium weight, $13.75@14.00; light light, $13.60@14.00; light light, $13.50@13.90; heavy packing sows, smooth, $12.00@12.50; packing sows, rough, $12.00@12.50; pigs, $12.50@13.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; steady to 25c higher. Beef steers, medium weight, heavy choice and prime, none; medium and good, $12.00@17.00; common, $8.25@11.75; light, good and choice, $14.50@17.00; common and medium, $8.00@14.25; butcher cattle, heifers, $7.00@16.00; cows, $7.00@12.50; canners and cutters, $5.50@6.75; veal calves, light and handy weight, $13.00@16.00; feeder steers, $6.75@12.50; stocker steers, $6.15@10.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market steady to 25c higher; lambs, 80 pounds down, $14.75@18.00; culls and common, $7.50@14.25; yearling wethers, $12.00@15.00; ewes, medium and choice, $7.00@10.00; culls and common, $4.00@6.70.

Louisville, Ky., December 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 1,200; 25 to 50c higher; 120 pounds up, $14.00; pigs, 120 pounds down, $13.00; throwouts, $12.25 down.

Cattle—Receipts, 150; quiet; steady. Heavy steers, $12.00@14.00; beef steers, $8.50@11.50; heifers, $8.00@12.00; cows, $5.00@10.50; feeders, $8.00@11.00; stockers, $7.00@9.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 50; steady. Lambs, $13.00; sheep, $7.00.

Liberty Bonds.

New York, December 26.—Final prices on Liberty bonds today were:

3½s	99.24
First 4s	92.50
Second 4s	91.70
First 4¼s	93.16
Second 4¼s	91.64
Third 4¼s	93.86
Fourth 4¼s	91.56
Victory 3¾s	99.16
Victory 4¾s	99.10

Metals.

New York, December 26.—Copper, steady; electrolytic spot and first quarter, 18¾@19.

Iron, firm and unchanged.

Antimony, 9.75.

Metal exchange quotes lead quiet; spot and January, 7.45 asked, 7.60 bid. Spelter strong; spot, 8.65@8.75.

At London, holiday.

White Potatoes.

Chicago, December 26.—Potatoes, firm; arrivals, 59 cars; northern bulk, $3.30@3.50; sacked, $3.50@3.40.

Swift & Co.

Chicago, December 26.—Swift and company, 134.

Coffee.

New York, December 26.—The market for coffee futures was very quiet today and correspondingly sensitive to small orders. The opening was dull and unchanged, with March selling at 15.20 and May at 15.37 early, or about 3 points net higher on a little covering. Later importing interests sold a few thousand bags with March easing off to 15 and May to 15.15 in the apparent absence of any important support. The close was 5 to 20 points net lower. Closing bids: December and January, 14.70; March, 15; May, 15.13; July, 15.26; September and October, 15.05.

Spot coffee dull; Rio 7s, 15; Santos 4s, 24½@25¼. The only fresh offers reported in the cost and freikht market were Santos 4s at 27¼, London credits, and 23, American credits.

The official cables covering Wednesday's markets showed a decline of 75 reis at Rio compared with Monday, while Santos futures were 300 reis lower and Santos futures 75 to 175 reis higher. Port receipts, 20,000; Jundiahy receipts, 11,000. Rio cleared 12,000 and Santos 45,000 for New York.

Money Market.

New York, December 26.—Mercantile paper, 6; sterling 60-day bills, 3.75¾; commercial 60-day bills on banks, 3.75¾; commercial 60-day bills, 3.74¾; demand, 3.79¾; cables, 3.81.

France, demand, 10.60; cables, 10.58. Guilders, demand, 37⅛; cables, 37½. Lire, demand, 13.10; cables, 13.07. Marks, demand, 2.06; cables, 2.08.

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Time loans strong; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 7½.

Bar silver, 1.32¼.

Mexican dollars, 1.01½.

Call money strong; ruling rate, 10; bank acceptances, 4¾.

Country Produce.

New York December 26.—Butter firm; creamery, firsts 61@69c.

Eggs, firmer; fresh gathered firsts, 70@72c.

Cheese, steady; average run, 30½@31c.

Poultry, alive, irregular; chickens, 32c; fowls, 33@35c; turkeys, 50@58c. Dressed, easy; chickens, 28@47c; fowls, 24@35½c; turkeys not quoted.

Chicago, December 26.—Butter unsettled; creamery, 55@68c.

Eggs, unsettled; receipts, 1,100 cases; firsts, 67@68c.

Poultry, alive, unchanged.

St. Louis, December 26.—Poultry, turkeys, 40c; geese, 26c; others unchanged.

Butter and eggs unchanged.

Sugar.

New York, December 26.—The local market for raw sugar was quiet and unchanged, with the trade inclined to hold off pending the outcome of government contract. The bill has passed both houses and now awaits the president's signature, who, according to latest Washington advices, is holding off awaiting a report from the sugar equalization board. There were no sales reported. In refined practically all the old crop sugar is accounted for by allocation, on the basis of 9 cents for fine granulated, while prices for new crop are very irregular.

Berlin Bank Statement.

Berlin, Thursday, December 25.—The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany for the period ending December 15 shows the following changes in marks:

Treasury notes increased	168,428,000
Notes of other banks increased	837,000
Bills discounted increased	1,398,750,000
Advances increased	1,517,000
Notes in circulation increased	415,280,000
Deposits increased	1,264,973,000
Liabilities increased	25,995,000
Coin decreased	1,934,000
Gold decreased	688,000
Investments decreased	2,358,000
Other securities decreased	50,992,000
Total gold holdings	1,089,613,000

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BABE PRESENTS PAY UTIMATUM TO SOX

Los Angeles, December 26.—"Babe" Ruth, home run hitter, is "through" with major league baseball unless the management of the Boston American league club is prepared to meet his demand for $20,000 a year, he said today in discussing an announcement from Boston that he had returned unsigned a contract calling for $10,000 a year.

"I have several propositions on hand, any one of which would pay me more than $10,000 a year," he said.

Ruth disclaimed any intention of entering the ring, as recently reported, but admitted he might go in for motion pictures.

SLAGTOWN TRAINING PLACE FOR PHILLIES

Philadelphia, December 26.—The Philadelphia National league baseball will train next spring at Birmingham, Ala., according to an announcement today from President Baker's office. The squad will leave here the last week in February. About thirty players will make the trip.

No Yale Post for Williams.

New Haven, Conn., December 26.—Published reports that Dr. H. L. Williams, football coach at the University of Minnesota, had been offered the post of head coach of football at Yale, were authoritatively denied tonight. Dr. Williams has been in New Haven for several days visiting his son, H. L. Williams, Jr., a student at Yale.

THAT GUILTIEST FEELING : : : : : : : : By Briggs



Former Petrel Star Makes Good Record As Coach at Dublin

W. J. Boswell, Captain of First Oglethorpe Football Team, Makes Splendid Success as Pilot of Dublin High Eleven.

Gridiron followers of the Oglethorpe Petrels will be interested to learn of the marked success of one of the Petrels' ex-stars, W. J. Boswell, familiarly known as "Cap" Boswell, who has guided the destinies of the Dublin High school team the past season and has made a very creditable record with his charges. Going to Dublin last September after finishing at Oglethorpe to be director and coach of athletics, Coach Boswell was told to put Dublin on the prep football map of south Georgia.

To put over this job seemed quite a task, as Dublin had never had a football team nor had any of the boys ever engaged in the gridiron sport. Very few had even seen a game played.

Despite these handicaps Coach Boswell began his task. On October 25 Dublin played its first football game in the history of the school and marked it with a victory when the Irishmen slaughtered the Swainsboro High eleven by a score of 45 to 0. This great start encouraged Coach Boswell and his warriors to greater efforts, and when the season closed they had played five games, won three and held their opponents to creditable scores in the other two battles.

Their record for the season is as follows:

Dublin, 45; Swainsboro, 0.
Dublin, 21; Waynesboro, 13.
Dublin, 86; Swainsboro, 0.
Dublin, 0; Fitzgerald, 21.
Dublin, 6; Waynesboro, 13.

The players and their positions were Register, left end; Deese, left tackle; L. Alexander, left guard; Wilcox, center; Ash, right guard; Brenizer, right tackle; Smith, right end; Daniels, quarter; Walker, left half and captain; J. Alexander, right half; Rendrichs, fullback.

Oglethorpe feels duly proud of her former star, the first to become a coach. While at Oglethorpe Coach Boswell was captain of the Petrels' first football team and also the basketball quintet. He made five letters and was also manager of the baseball team one season. In track he was a good man in the 100 and 220-yard dashes. In addition to being director of all athletics at the Dublin High school, Mr. Boswell is also instructor of French, and is very popular with the people of Dublin.

Pitt's '20 Grid Schedule Announced; Many Big Battles For Panthers

Meet Syracuse in Syracuse Between Big Games With Tech and West Virginia in Pittsburg. Panthers Practice Cage Game.

PITT'S GRID SCHEDULE.

October 2—Geneva College at Forbes field.
October 9—West Virginia at Forbes field.
October 16—Syracuse at Syracuse, N. Y.
October 23—Georgia Tech at Forbes field.
October 30 — Lafayette at Forbes field.
November 6 — University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.
November 13—Washington and Jefferson at Forbes field.
November 25—Penn State at Forbes field.

Pittsburg, Pa., December 26.—[illegible] University of Pittsburg football management, following its usual policy of arranging a schedule with representative rivals, has completed its program for 1920. The list of games presents some problems for Head Coach Glenn S. Warner next fall, for there is not a single "soft spot" on the card.

The most important games are with Syracuse and Penn State, both of which defeated the Panthers this year, with Washington and Jefferson, Pennsylvania, Georgia Tech, Lafayette and West Virginia university.

Georgia Tech will make its third annual pilgrimage to Pittsburg, meeting Pitt at Forbes field on Saturday, October 23. This will be an intersectional game of considerable importance.

Pitt to Syracuse.

The game with Syracuse was originally considered for Pittsburg, but Pitt agreed to make the trip to Syracuse again, inasmuch as it is slated to come between two other big games in Pittsburg—those with West Virginia and Georgia Tech.

The only new team on the Pitt schedule is Lafayette. Pitt could have had several other new games, had it been willing to play them abroad. West Point offered a game on its own grounds, and the University of Nebraska wanted the Panthers to travel to Lincoln. Lehigh was also considered for a game, but had to be dropped because there was no available date.

In the usual order of things, the Penn game would have been played here, but it was impossible for Penn to get away on any date suitable to Pitt, so the Panthers agreed to go to Franklin field again. There is a possibility of a two-year contract being signed by the management of the two big Keystone state schools in football, covering the season of 1920 and 1921.

Plan for Basketball.

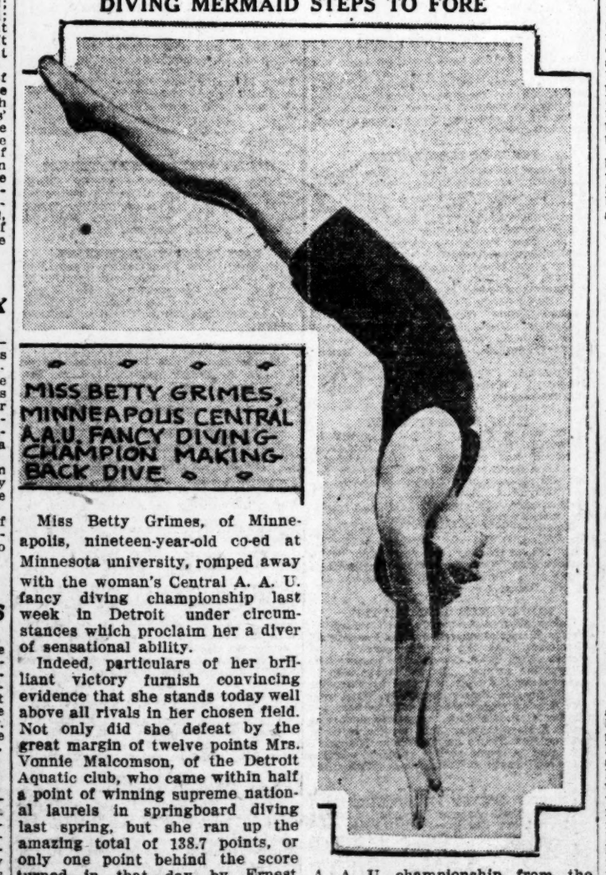
Just at present Pitt is making active preparations for the inauguration of the basketball season on Friday, January 2, when Yale will be played at Trec's gym here. Coach Flint has a fine lot of material, and will place a strong team on the floor against the Elis. McCracken, McLean and Laughran, all members of Warner's 1919 Panthers, will be in the basketball line-up.

Pitt is going to revive baseball next spring, and is dickering with one of the best known college coaches in the country to handle the team. An attractive schedule is being arranged, which will include at least one eastern trip, and probably games with West Virginia, Penn State, West Point and other colleges of this class.

The track team will start indoor work soon, and should be in splendid trim when the I. C. A. A. A. meet and the Penn relay carnival at Franklin field roll around.

Swimming and lawn tennis will also be spring sports at the university, which is going in for all-round athletics to a greater extent than ever in the past.

DIVING MERMAID STEPS TO FORE



MISS BETTY GRIMES, MINNEAPOLIS CENTRAL A.A.U. FANCY DIVING CHAMPION MAKING BACK DIVE

Miss Betty Grimes, of Minneapolis, nineteen-year-old co-ed at Minnesota university, romped away with the woman's Central A. A. U. fancy diving championship last week in Detroit under circumstances which proclaim her a diver of sensational ability.

Indeed, particulars of her brilliant victory furnish convincing evidence that she stands today well above all rivals in her chosen field. Not only did she defeat by the great margin of twelve points Mrs. Vonnie Malcomson, of the Detroit Aquatic club, who came within half a point of winning supreme national laurels in springboard diving last spring, but she ran up the amazing total of 138.7 points, or only one point behind the score turned in that day by Ernest Briggs, of the Detroit Athletic club, in capturing the men's Central A. A. U. championship from the same board, with the same judges officiating.

Big Celebration 30th Anniversary of Brooklyn Team

Charles Ebbetts, Mogul of Dodgers and Successful Baseball Magnate, Plans Great Spread for Team in April.

Charles Ebbetts, majority owner of the stock in the Brooklyn National league club and a baseball magnate for many years, never permits an opportunity to slip by for a big spread. The Brooklyn Dodgers will be 30 years old as a major league club on next April 18, and Ebbetts has already laid plans for an anniversary celebration that promies to set a new record for such affairs in gaseball.

It was on April 18, 1890, that the Brooklyn team played its first game as a member of the National league. Boston was the opposition in the inaugural, and Brooklyn lost by the score of 15 to 9. It was a bad start, but Brooklyn copped the flag the first year out in high society, and they have done well since then, from a financial standpoint.

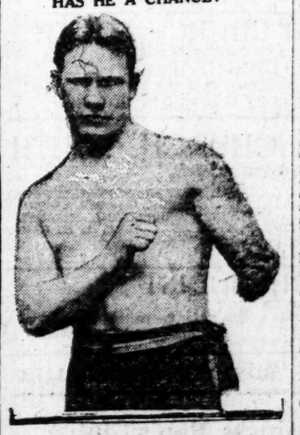
Many changes have occurred in the Brooklyn roster since the first melee in the select class. During all of this time Ebbetts has been a commanding figure in the organization, although on several occasions he was dangerously near losing out entirely, when other stockholders became dissatisfied and lacked only a leader to put the club on the market.

A man of but moderate means when he entered the baseball business, Ebbetts has amassed a good size fortune. He does not rank with some of his colleagues in the matter of personal wealth, but he has managed to make his original investment pay him handsomely and today could retire without thought of baseball.

The first nine years of major league ball enjoyed by the Ebbetts team were strenuous. Winning the pennant the first year out, under the management of Bill McGunnigle, and the presidency of Charles H. Byrne, the profits from the one good season were consumed in the following eight years when the club was in the ruck. The Dodgers and Ebbetts got on their feet in 1899 when Ned Hanlon won a pennant for them and repeated the following year, while since that time increased interest in the national pastime has served to return a fair profit on the investment.

Ebbetts says he wants to celebrate the thirtieth anniversary in fitting fashion, and if the weather is not favorable at that time it will be postponed until later in the season.

HAS HE A CHANCE?



FRANK MORAN.

If ever a fighter trained hard in anticipation of a successful comeback he is Frank Moran, who is making his last stab at the laurels held securely today by Jack Dempsey in the heavyweight division. In his day Moran was considered worthy enough to hold the heavyweight reins. But he had the misfortune to run into Johnson when the big negro was fighting at his best, in Paris, and two years later he swapped punches with Willard in the Garden over the ten-round trail. In the latter bout he hurt Jess with a right hand punch to the chin during a fierce mixup in the seventh round.

Different Conditions Answer For Players

JACK'S 'REACTION TIME' TO DETERMINE FIGHT

Scientists Declare Georges' "Reaction Time" Abnormally Small.

London, December 26.—The chances of Jack Dempsey to win in his proposed fight with Georges Carpentier, will depend more upon Dempsey's "reaction time" than upon any superiority he may possess in weight and muscular power, according to a medical writer in The Evening News. In explaining what he means by "reaction time," the author says:

"Briefly, the 'reaction time' of a muscle or set of muscles is the measurable period which elapses between the impulse to act and its transformation into action.

"The differences in 'reaction time' are very great. A man with a big 'reaction time' cannot hope by practice to become the equal in this respect of another born with a small reaction time. Interwoven with this is psychological 'reaction time' or quick and slow wittedness.

"If he is symetrically formed, has the average amount of courage, a sound heart and lungs and has mastered the art of boxing, a heavyweight of twelve-stone (168 pounds) with a small physical and psychological 'reaction time' has sufficient muscular power to defeat a man with a fairly big 'reaction time,' whatever the latter's size and reach may be. There is not a shadow of doubt that Carpentier possesses an abnormally small 'reaction time' physically and mentally."

SPORTOGRAPHY

By "Gravy."

MAY I NOT—

. . . suggest that now is a good time to think up some of those annual resolutions? You can forget them right away after New Year's day.

Babe Ruth vs. Reds.

If the Yankees go to Texas to train this spring it is quite possible that the Reds will challenge the Boston Red Sox to a series of exhibition games. Garry Hermann said recently that he believed that such a series would draw great crowds. The chance to see the world's championship team against the greatest hitter of modern times would appeal to the fans all over the country. Pat Moran is enthusiastic over the project.

"Admirals" to Box.

Annapolis, December 9.—The United States Naval academy at Annapolis will support the movement to establish intercollegiate boxing and will have one match at Annapolis this season with the University of Pennsylvania on a date to be fixed. A larger schedule will be arranged for next season. The academy boxers have as their instructor "Spike" Webb, who was boxing instructor of the Twenty-ninth division, A. E. F., and who directed the inter-allied boxing matches in France.

Great Boxing Boom.

So great is the boxing boom which San Francisco now is enjoying that there is room for several additional clubs in the city by the Golden Gate. Plans are being drawn up for the erection of a huge arena on the site of old Central park, the scene in days gone by for a baseball tournament for amateur teams from all over the country, which served to put professional baseball on a firm footing in California.

Tom O'Day and Frank Lawler are behind the latest project in San Francisco boxing circles, and plan to obtain the services of the leading boxers in all classes for four-round bouts.

Bob's Last Battle.

Bill Lang knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons in the twelfth round in Australia ten years ago today. This was Ruby Robert's last battle, his defeat by the third-rate fighter, Lang, finally convincing him that he was "all in" as a boxer. Bob was 47 when he returned to the land where he had first won fame as a pugilist to make his inglorious exit from the game in which he had once been supreme. Prior to that he had been whipped by Jack Johnson and Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, as well as by Jeffries. Bob fought his first professional ring battle in 1881 in New Zealand, and a few years later went to Australia. He came to America in 1890. He won the world's middleweight title a year later by defeating "Nonpareil" Jack Dempsey and annexed the heavyweight championship in 1897 by whipping Corbett.

Class in Sportography.

ANSWER—The reserve rule was adopted in 1880. It was in the shape of a signed agreement not to hire certain players whom each club desired to retain and was secretly adopted by the National league at a special meeting held on September 30, 1879, at Buffalo, N. Y. Each club of the National league was thereby permitted to reserve five men for 1880.

When was baseball first introduced into England?

(The answer will be given on Monday.)

BOGUS CHECK ARTIST ESCAPES FROM JAIL

According to information received in police circles Friday, F. J. Farnham, also known under the names of Murray and Mowery and other aliases, who is alleged to have operated a fraudulent check scheme in Atlanta through which he secured $20,000 in Liberty bonds from a local bank, a trust company, and a real estate firm, has escaped from a prison in Huntsville, Texas. Farnham served only a short period of the sentence imposed upon him by the Texas court before making his escape, it is said.

He was arrested in Texarkana, Texas, after his operations in Atlanta early last year. He has lead the police officials several chases in the past ten years, and it is stated that he had been thrice arrested for the same operations he put through in this city.

CORPSE FOUND ERECT ON VESSEL AT MOBILE

Mobile, Ala., December 26.—Discovery of the dead body of Martin O. Sarrin, a Macedonian, aboard a small schooner here this morning has furnished a mystery which police and sheriff departments are trying to solve. The man's skull was fractured by a blunt instrument.

After the body was viewed by the coroner that official expressed the opinion that Sarrin had been murdered. The coroner believes the man was killed two days ago. The body of Sarrin was found standing erect in the after hold of the vessel. He formerly lived in Texas. He had resided here some time.

Best Men of Today When Compared With Premier Artists of Days Gone by Leaves Question Unanswered Except in Existing Circumstances.

By Al Spink.

I am often asked "Are the best players of today better than the best of twenty years ago?" The question is not easily answered.

The conditions today are far different from those which ruled in the '80s, when the national game began to increase its areas rapidly.

In the early '80s the fielder's glove and those other protective measures were unknown, while, on the other hand, the ball then contained more rubber than it does now and was a far more lively affair.

But setting conditions aside, there is no doubt that even in the early days of the game there were players who easily compared with the best men of today.

I know of no better catchers now than were Buck Ewing, Silver Flint and Mike Kelly in the halcyon days of their career, nor can I recall any of the latter-day pitchers who have or who now hold the edge on Radbourne, Sweeney, Ferguson and Keefe, the best twirlers of the twenty-year-ago brigade.

The Great Basemen.

Nor are there any better basemen than were Comiskey, Reilly, Connor, Anson and Start of the old guard. At second base, Robinson, Pfeffer and McPhee were just as good men in their time as there are today, and none of the present army of third-sackers hold the edge on Denny, Burns, Latham and Carpenter of the old army.

At short field, too, where are there better men now than were Williamson, Glasscock, Ward and Irwin in their time?

And then as to fielders, what speedier and surer catchers are there now than were Dalrymple, Gore, Welch, Tiernan, Fogarty, Hanlon and others like them of the old guard.

Armed as are the players of today, these old players in the fielding line would have been invincible.

There are few teams today better than the old Detroit league team, which included in its ranks such great players as Charley Bennett, "Lady" Baldwin, Dan Brouthers, Fred Dunlap, Hardy Ritchardson, Jack Rowe, Ned Hanlon and others nearly as good as them.

Brouthers and Richardson remained with that club until the formation of the brotherhood, when they cast their fortunes with the new league.

The leaving of the players from the old league to the new one thinned the ranks of the National league so that for a time it looked like a minor organization. Most of the star players of the National league went over to the brotherhood, leaving the old clubs weak in spots that were not filled for a long time.

After the war was on between the two leagues the players' league clubs were outdrawing the older organization, and for a time seemed to be having things pretty much their own way.

Was Least Important.

In those days people thought little about the winning of the games. To them this seemed to be of the least importance. It was a fight for the patronage, and conflicting dates were numerous.

On the street corners, in the hotels, at the cigar stores and wherever the baseball-loving fan congregated, it was not a question of who won the game with them. No but—

"What was the attendance?" "Was there a big crowd?" and "Did the Nationals draw many?" they would ask.

The Boston brotherhood team was a great team of batters. Besides securing Brouthers and Richardson from the Boston Nationals, they also took the only Mike Kelly from the same club, as well as Harry Stovey.

Hughey Duffy and Charlie Farrell also joined the team from the Chicagoans, giving Boston a very strong team. The name of Hardy Richardson seems to be entirely forgotten by the writers of the present day.

Frequently when the sluggers of the old days are mentioned we read about the great stick work of Kelly and Anson, of Stovey, of Brouthers, of Roger Connor. But the name of Richardson is omitted. It seems as though we are doing him an injustice.

I recall a feat performed by Richardson on the Congress street grounds in Boston, a feat of hitting the ball for a home run each day for five or six consecutive days.

I believe it was the seventh day when he fell down, but not in his batting average, for he slammed the ball down to the left field fence, a hit on which he secured three bags. He might have reached home and continued his wonderful performance, but he was held on this by the coacher, and Richardson's wonderful work with the stick, which stands as a record in professional games, has passed into baseball history.

Jack Hatfield's Claim.

Another of the greatest of the old players seldom mentioned nowadays was Jack Hatfield.

By general consent he was the champion of all the long-distance throwers. He made his throwing record at Brooklyn, October 15, 1872. He threw the ball 400 feet 7½ inches.

Many have been the attempts since that time to excel this record, but that of Hatfield is the only one that stands on the books today. Doubtless, the best man in long throwing in the days of Hatfield was Edward Crane, of Boston. Crane, undoubtedly, made more long throws than any man who ever attempted long-distance throwing, but his throws were never authenticated. Hatfield's were.

Hatfield was playing at left field in the '60s for the Eckford and Mutuals clubs of Brooklyn, N. Y. In 1879 he came west, and was with the Cincinnati Reds of that year.

When Jack quit the game he went to St. Louis and became associated as pool seller with Richard Roche, who then conducted a big turf exchange there. Later Hatfield returned to Brooklyn, and he died there February 20, 1909, of heart disease. He was 62 years of age at the time of his death.

MARIETTA IS BEATEN BY CEDARTOWN ELEVEN

Cedartown, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Before a large crowd of spectators at the West Avenue park in this city yesterday, Cedartown defeated Marietta in a well-played game of football by the score of 4 to 0. The game was hard fought, from start to finish and many thrilling plays were made by both sides.

Marietta put up a hard fight, but the local boys were just a little bit too much for them. The game was not marred by any friction and showed that both teams were composed of a sportsmenlike bunch of players. It is hoped that this game can be made an annual Christmas event.

AMERICAN FILMS DELIGHT LONDON

But Great Preparations Are Being Made for Native Production—Notable "Allan Quartermain" Film.

London, December 20.—The London picturegoing public still waits in vain for the heralded wonders of British film production and meanwhile continues without a thought af patriotism to dodge the second-rate British films which as yet make no real competition in this field for American producers. The only thing that has played into English producers' hands recently has been the flat failure of Charlie Chaplin's "Sunnyside." But English audiences are notoriously faithful and it will take more than one "wash-out" to kill Charlie. On the other hand, Mary Pickford has made as much headway with the first of her own films, "Daddy Long Legs," as he has lost.

The British picture world is as yet more fruitful in producing companies than in films. New companies are rising at the rate of three or four a month and every week or so ambitious plans for studios are announced. But it seems to take a long time to set up a film plant in England. One company which has bought a huge site near London, where it will have studios in which eight producers can be at work at the same time, "hopes to begin work in twelve months." This is going to be a big affair when it comes off, with a film colony settled around the studios on the American plan. Another company has at last started on its program of famous novels with a film version of "Bleak House," starring Miss Constance Collier, one of the leading favorites of the London stage.

What the British public is being taught to regard as an all-British affair, the Famous Players-Lasky British Producers (Ltd.) have taken over a big power station of the Metropolitan railway in north London, where they have set up two stages over one hundred feet wide for the filming of the latest Drury Lane melodrama, "The Great Day."

Possibly there will be more competition for Americans in the British producers in South Africa than, for a time at least, in what is being done in England. Climate and landscape are in their favor and they have native material in the stories of Rider Haggard which promises a strong combination of action and spectacle. "King Solomon's Mines" has been followed by its sequel, "Allan Quatermain," one of the most successful filmings of stories yet seen. The pictures of the crowds are particularly impressive. The pitched battle between the armies of the rival queens and the ride of the thousand horsemen to save Queen Nyleptha are extraordinary spectacles, as is also the final great battle on the stairs of the palace when Umolopogaas holds the palace against the invading hordes and finally splits the magic rock with his famous battle ax as a sign that a strange king shall reign.

This is one of the few non-American pictures really worth mentioning. The most sensational picture on the London screens today is "The Exploits of a German Submarine," which is no doubt also being seen in America, although scarcely with that peculiar relish with which English audiences are flocking to see the sinking of their own merchant ships as witnessed from the deck of the U-35.

Just how American is the present offering in London can be gathered from this list of headings in the week's bills: Norma Talmadge in "Poppy," Mae Marsh in "Little Women," Charlotte Walker in "Men," Tom Moore in "Brown of Harvard," Douglas Fairbanks in "Arizona," Geraldine Farrar in "The Stronger Vow," Taylor Holmes in "Uneasy Money," Harry Cary in "A Marked Man" and Violet Hopson and Gerald Ames in "A Turf Conspiracy."

GROUPING THE BODIES OF AMERICAN DEAD

(The Constitution—London Times—Philadelphia Public Ledger Service—Copyright, 1919.)

Washington, December 26.—Disinterment of the bodies of American dead who were buried in the zone of advance in France has begun, according to announcement today by the war department, and as rapidly as the work proceeds the bodies of the United States soldiers buried in the more remote sections of France will be grouped at Suresnes, near Paris. If negotiations in France result in permission to bring back the bodies of American dead before the two-year period, which has now been fixed, the war department will begin the transport of bodies at once, but under the present arrangement only the bodies of those men who are buried elsewhere than in France are to be returned and placed either in national cmeteries in this country or turned over to their next kin.

The policy to be followed, as announced today by the war department, follows:

Clear each small cemetery in France of American dead when disinterment is begun in the particular cemetery and the reinterment in the cemetery at Suesnes, near Paris, of bodies not to be returned to the United States under the present policy.

Return to the United States of all bodies of American soldiers buried in Europe, exclusive of France, to be permanently interred in national cemeteries or turned over to next of kin if request has been made to that effect.

The acquisition of additional land adjoining Suesnes is not approved at this time, as the present cemetery will enable the handling of the above policy for some time to come.

1,500 STEEL STRIKERS VOTE NOT TO RETURN

Cleveland, December 26.—Fifteen hundred steel men voted unanimously tonight to continue on strike and to remain away from their former employment until the strike is won, or officially declared off by the national officers.

The decision to remain idle was reached after they had heard the report that two of their number had been sent to Pittsburg to confer with W. Z. Foster, natitonal secretary of the steel strikers. Mr. Foster said it was his opinion that the men were making a winning fight and that the complaint of shortage of steel was evidence of it.

Besides voting to remain on strike, the members of the union ousted from office John Kwiatkowski, vice president, and Joseph Mroczek, corresponding secretary, who had recommended to the local that it call off the strike and return to work. They also demand that these men return the money given to them to make the trip to Pittsburg.

When the strike was called, twenty thousand men quit work here. Many of these have found employment in other callings and some are said to have returned to work in the steel mills.

The idleness in some of the plants, the manufacturers claim, is due more to a shortage of coal than to lack of men.

Husband (arriving home)—Your eyes look red. What's the matter?

Wife—Oh, nothing.

Husband—Yes, there is. What is it—something that happened at home or something you saw at the movies?—Milwaukee Journal.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

All Atlantans Are Urged to Observe

Never Was Prayer More Needed

Coming Universal Week of Prayer

The Week of Prayer.

For seventy-three years — since 1846 — when the first call came through the World's Evangelical alliance, the churches throughout Christendom have been wont to usher in the new year with prayer. Again the call has come, and the committee on church co-operation of the Christian Council of Atlanta repeats the summons with the plea that all who believe in the power of intercession will celebrate this universal week of prayer and approach the new year upon their knees.

Never was prayer more needed. An awakened church faces an aroused world. Great issues—international, national, racial and universal—are impending. Great forces of evil—alert, malignant, mobilized and militant—defy the laws of God and threaten to defeat the laws of government.

A decisive moral conflict is inevitable. The church of God alone has the dynamics adequate to meet such an emergency. Only as the message of her Master is proclaimed with power and the principles of her Christ are applied with intelligent consistency can the world hope for deliverance from its confusion and bewilderment and find the paths of peace.

But the church herself needs a new empowerment. The distractions of the passing years have impaired her progress. Statistics recently compiled by Dr. H. K. Carroll show that the total increase in church membership in the United States in 1918 was only 284,599, the smallest gain shown in any year of this century.

Therefore, let all the people of Atlanta pray:

Sunday, January 4. That the Church May Be Awakened by Her Unprecedented Opportunities. "The church is today face to face with history. The world is fluid. The church looks into such vistas of service and victory as she has not seen since the morning stars sang together." Will the church answer the challenge? Will she meet the need? Will she measure up to the hour? She will if she prays.

"Who shall make America fit to stand at the top of the world? America, with her divided homes, her desecrated Sabbath, her neglected churches, her broken laws. Her monster cities are filling up with an alien population who know little of her language and less of the spirit of her laws. There are forty-five million people in our country, above the age of childhood, who do not belong to any church organization at all. Our own country has become a great mission field. Who shall Christianize America? It must be a church tremendously in earnest, and one which has discovered again the New Testament exercise of intercession in the power of the spirit. Miracles of the Holy Ghost will be needed; and God will not trust them to any but a praying church."

Vision of World's Needs.

Tuesday, January 6. The Church Awakened by a Vision of the World's Needs. "Surely the future looks black enough, yet it holds a hope, a single hope. One, and one power only, can arrest the descent and save us—the Word of God. Yet, if the world is to be saved from destruction—physical no less than spiritual destruction—it will be saved alone by the Christian religion. Let the church turn her throne of opportunity into a throne of intercession, and victory will come."

Wednesday, January 7. The Church Awakened by a New Call for Co-operation. "A practical plan for co-operation, entered into diligently by leaders of the united and aggressive forces of protestantism, and adhered to loyally without any compromise, or sacrificing a single vital principle, would make possible the easy, world-wide occupation by pure Christianity of all the fields that now concern us."

Thursday, January 8. The Church Awakened by a Revival of Family Religion. "To make the family a place of permanent love, peace, and spiritual beauty is now, and always will be a great moral achievement. Religion is often the decisive factor in the character of the home. Every Christian family leaves traditions in the hearts of its children which they will seek to realize in their own homes. Many things today make against family worship, but the need remains. The family altar ought at once to be set up, or put back, in every Christian home."

Friday, January 9. The church awakened by the call for workers. "The church of Jesus calls today as it never called before. It calls to service in one concrete, collective task. It calls to the greatest and holiest crusade in the history of the race. And it calls in the hour of this unique world crisis when all creation is groaning for deliverance. Who will carry the message? Who will go into all the world and preach this gospel to every creature? The world is waiting. But is the church of Jesus Christ ready to fulfill its mission? 'Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that He send forth laborers into His harvest.'"

Power of Prayer.

Sunday, January 11. The church awakened by a rediscovery of the reality and power of prayer. "Christ has been waiting through the centuries for a generation of those who love Him, to project a program which will leave a wide margin for the revelation of His wisdom, for the releasing of His resources, for the exercise of His power. The church never has realized the fullness of His divince resources because she never has fully consecrated her own. There is a point beyond which the church has never gone. Beyond is a vast unknown for faith and achievement. There lie new discoveries of the wisdom, grace and power of God in Jesus Christ. He has resources untuched and available in this hour of need, for men of faith who dare and do. No previous generation of the church has fully met the necessary conditions. That generation will pray enough, dare enough, love enough, sacrifice enough, will witness the triumph of His kingdom over the earth.

"We behold the dawning of a new age, an age of victory for men of faith and daring in the realm of the unprecedented."

Each church in Atlanta is to plan its individual program for the week of prayer and, under the auspices of the Billy Sunday Business Men's club, union noon-day service will be held each day of the week beginning Monday, the 5th, and continuing through Saturday, the 10th. These noon-day services will be held in the club rooms on the fourth floor of the Gould building. They will last only half an hour from 12:30 to 1 o'clock and everyone is most cordially invited to participate.

THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH CO-OPERATION.

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CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Washington St., Opposite Capitol.

REV. B. R. LACY, JR., D. D., Pastor.

9:30 A. M. .... BIBLE SCHOOL
WOMEN'S Y. W. B. C. MEN'S "BROTHERHOOD"
11:00 A. M. .... SERMON BY THE PASTOR
6:30 P. M. .... CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR
7:30 P. M. .... SERMON BY THE PASTOR

Night Service in Charge of Y. W. B. C. and Brotherhood
Singing Led by Mr. F. L. Willis.
COME—BRING A FRIEND

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Peachtree and 16th Sts. Take Peachtree-Brookwood car.

11:00 A.M. .... "THE PRINCE OF PEACE."
SERMON BY DR. J. SPROLE LYONS.
"A Christian Estimate of 1919 and the Outlook for 1920."

The musical program will be full of inspiration of the season, under the direction of Mr. Charles A. Sheldon, Jr.

Organ Prelude (Godard).
Voluntary Chorus, "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours) .... Choir
Organ, "Silent Night."
Offertory Solo, "The Angel's Song" (Stickler) .... Mrs. Charles Chalmers
Solo, "Glory to God" (Dressler) .... Mr. H. R. Bates
Postlude.
9:30 A. M. .... Sunday School—All Departments
10:30 A. M. .... Berean Class for Men, Dr. Lyons, Leader.
Wednesday, 8:00 P. M.—Mid-week service. Address by Dr. Lyons. Subject: "On the Threshold."

TWENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Organization of Church; Pastorate Dr. Richard Orme Flinn.

NORTH AVE. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

(Corner Peachtree and North Avenue.)

HOME-COMING SERVICE, 11 A. M.

9:30 A. M. .... Sunday School
7:00 P. M. .... Christian Endeavor
8:00 P. M. .... Sermon; topic, "Immortality."

ORMEWOOD PARK PRESBYTERIAN

10:00 A. M. .... BIBLE SCHOOL
11:00 A. M. .... SERMON BY DR. H. S. YERGER
6:30 P. M. .... SENIOR ENDEAVOR SOCIETY

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CORNER WASHINGTON AND HUNTER STREETS.
RIGHT REV. H. J. MIKELL, D. D., Bishop.
VERY REV. T. H. JOHNSTON, Litt. D., Dean.

SUNDAY SCHOOL .... 9.45 A. M.
MORNING SERVICE .... 11:00 A. M.

Bishop Mikell will officiate.

Furnaces in working order and church is now comfortably heated.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Cor. W. Peachtree and North Ave.

REV. W. W. MEMMINGER, Rector.

8:00 A. M. .... HOLY COMMUNION
9:30 A. M. .... SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 A. M. .... MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON
4:00 P. M. .... EVENING PRAYER

VISITORS WELCOME

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

PEACHTREE AND FIFTEENTH STREETS.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT 11 A. M. AND 8 P. M. Subject, "CHRISTIAN SCIENCE."

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETING, including testimonials of Christian Science healing, at 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited.

SUNDAY SCHOOL at 11 a. m. Reading room open daily—Sunday, 2 to 5 p. m.; Wednesday, 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. Other days, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; at 613 Grand Opera House.

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UNIVERSALIST—UNITARIAN.

301 WEST PEACHTREE STREET. REV. G. I. KEIRN, D. D., Pastor.

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Service and Sermon by Rev. D. L. Fisher. Subject, "Burning the Chaff."
11:00 A. M.—Kindergarten Sunday School. A splendid opportunity for children.
5:00 P. M.—Y. P. C. U., followed by an address by Rev. D. L. Fisher on "The Southern Industrial Institute," Camp Hill.

ALLIANCE ALLIANCE

Gospel Tabernacle 79 Capitol Avenue

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Services Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Subject 11 a. m.: "What Did the Birth of Christ Really Mean?"
Address by David J. Fant, Nyack, N. Y.
EVANGELISTIC SERVICE AT NIGHT. SPECIAL MUSIC.

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BAPTIST BAPTIST

Ponce de Leon Ave. Baptist Church

Corner Piedmont and Ponce de Leon.
M. ASHBY JONES, Pastor.
MORNING SERVICE:
"A PRAYER FOR THE PERMANENT"
EVENING SERVICE:
"THE SOCIAL SCRAMBLE"
Wednesday, December 31, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m., New Year's Eve Service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Peachtree and Cain Streets
CHARLES W. DANIEL, Pastor.

11:00 A. M. .... "THE AUTHORITY OF JESUS"
7:30 P. M. .... "THE ROOT OF UNBELIEF"

CAPITOL AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:30 A. M. .... BIBLE SCHOOL
11:00 A. M. .... "MAN CO-OPERATING WITH GOD"
7:30 P. M. .... "THE LONELY MAN"

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

HENRY ALFORD PORTER, Pastor.
END-OF-THE-YEAR SERVICE

11:00 A. M. .... "OUR LIFE STORY"
7:30 P. M. .... "THE GOD OF THE THRESHOLD"

METHODIST EPISCOPAL METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Ponce de Leon Avenue Methodist Episcopal

Corner Ponce de Leon and Piedmont Avenues.
OKEY JOHNSON CARDER, D. D., PASTOR.

11:00 A. M. .... "THE UNSHAKEN CHRIST"
7:45 P. M.—A Sacred Cantata: "THE CHRISTMAS KING," by the choir.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH

CORNER PEACHTREE AND PORTER PLACE.
REV. JAMES E. DICKEY, Pastor
SERVICES .... 11 A. M. AND 8 P. M.
We Cordially Invite You to Worship with Us.

ST. MARK'S M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

PEACHTREE AND FIFTH STREETS.

9:45 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL .... JOEL HUNTER, SUPERINTENDENT
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY PASTOR .... REV. WALTER ANTHONY
6:30 P. M.—EPWORTH LEAGUE .... LAWRENCE M'CULLOUGH, PRESIDENT
7:30 P. M.—SERMON BY PRESIDING ELDER .... REV. J. H. EAKES

PRAYER MEETING WEDNESDAY EVENING, 7:30 O'CLOCK.
YOU ARE INVITED.

GRACE METHODIST

302 PONCE DE LEON

11:00 A. M.—Special Christmas service; Christmas sermon by the pastor. Special Christmas music.
7:30 P. M.—"Flames of Glory." (That is a war story by Marvin Williams.)

BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB

Billy Sunday Business Men's Club

SERVICE AT JEFFERSON STREET M. E. CHURCH
7 O'CLOCK SUNDAY NIGHT.

Congregational (Colored) Congregational (Colored)

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
(Institutional—Open Daily—Corner Courtland and Houston.)
REV. H. H. PROCTOR, D. D., Pastor.
In His Farewell Sermon to the People of Atlanta.

11:00 A. M.—"Carry On!" An appeal to the members of the church.
7:30 P. M.—"After Twenty-Five Years in Atlanta." A farewell message to the people of Atlanta. Both white and colored are invited to both these services.

ADVENTISTS

FIRST SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Corner Orleans St. and Cherokee Ave.
Office address 416 Central Bldg. M. 1741.
Saturday, 9:30 a. m., Sabbath School.
Saturday, 11 a. m., Preaching. Subject,
"SPIRITUAL GIFTS"
Saturday, 3:30 p. m., Y. P. M. V. Society.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Prayer Meeting.
SUNDAY—Bible class, 7:30 p. m.
YOU ARE WELCOME.

PRESBYTERIAN

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. S. W. Reid, Pastor.
Whitehall St. and Whitehall Terrace.
11 A. M.—"Christ's Dominion."
5 P. M.—"The End."

In the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST.

The musical program at the First Baptist church on Sunday will be as follows:

Morning: Anthem, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" (O'Donnelly)—Mrs. Whitten and choir; offertory solo, "O Lovely Voices of the Sky" (Matthews)—Mrs. Culpepper.

Evening: Anthem, "Hail the King" (Bartlett); offertory, "There Were Shepherds" (Pflueger)—Mrs. Whitten and choir.

The Choir—Mrs. O. D. Culpepper, soprano; Mrs. James H. Whitten, alto; A. W. Browning, tenor; Preston H. Epps, baritone; C. W. Dieckmann, F. A. G. O., organist and director.

SECOND BAPTIST.

Rev. Henry Alford Porter, pastor of the Second Baptist church, will preach Sunday morning and evening. At the morning hour, 11 o'clock, his subject will be "Our Life Story." At the evening hour, 7:30 o'clock, "The God of the Threshold." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; the young people's division meets in the church auditorium, Washington street; Junior B. Y. P. U., 3:30 p. m.; senior B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m. The young people's division of the Second Baptist Sunday school will have a Christmas dinner at the church at 6 o'clock Tuesday, December 30. There are twelve classes in this division. A prize will be given to the girls' class that has the most beautiful table and one to the boys' class that has the most delightful menu. Great interest is being manifested by the young people and they will help to make it a great event. Conferences, led by prominent Sunday school workers, will follow the dinner.

PONCE DE LEON BAPTIST.

At the Ponce de Leon Avenue Baptist church, Dr. M. Ashby Jones, pastor, subjects will be: Sunday morning, 11 o'clock, "A Prayer for the Permanent;" Sunday evening, 7:30 o'clock, "The Social Scramble," and Wednesday, December 31, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m., New Year's eve service. The musical program follows:

Organ prelude, "Epithalame" (Guilmant); anthem, "Ye That Stand in the House" (Spinney); offertory solo, "Come, Holy Spirit" (Buck)—Miss Lansing; organ postlude, "Grand Choeur" (Kinder).

Evening: Organ prelude, "Fiat Lux" (Dubois); anthem, "Behold, I Create" (Harris); offertory anthem, "I Will Lay Me Down" (Hiles)—Mr. Drukenmiller and quartet; organ postlude, "Finale" (Sonata No. 3) (Mendelssohn). Walter Peck Stanley, organist and choirmaster.

FIRST BRESPYTERIAN.

The closing Sunday of the year will be marked at the First Presbyterian church by retrospect and prospect in the worship of the 11 o'clock service. Dr. J. Sprole Lyons will preach on "The Prince of Peace," and Charles A. Sheldon, Jr., organist and choir master, will present a full and inspiring musical program as follows:

Organ prelude (Godard); voluntary chorus, "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours)—choir; organ, "Silent Night;" offertory solo, "The Angel's Song" (Stickler)—Mrs. Charles Chalmers; solo, "Glory to God" (Dressler)—Mr. H. R. Bates; postlude.

WESLEY MEMORIAL BAPTIST.

Bishop Warren A. Candler will preach at Wesley Memorial church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. At the evening service, 7:30 o'clock, Rev. B. F. Fraser, the pastor, will deliver the sermon. Special music will be rendered by the choir, directed by Rev. W. O. Phillips, of Emory university. The regular Sunday school service will be held beginning at 9:45 o'clock. Announcement was made Friday that no late service will be held on New Year's eve at Wesley Memorial, but that a home-coming prayer meeting there will begin at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night.

NORTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday North Avenue Presbyterian church will celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of its organization, and also of the pastorate of Dr. Richard Orme Flinn, who entered upon his duties as pastor January 1, 1899. A home-coming service will be held at 11 a. m. All those who at any time have been connected with the North Avenue church are invited to be special guests at this service. At the evening service, 8 o'clock, Dr. Flinn will have as his theme, "Immortality."

PRYOR STREET PRESBYTERIAN.

A record-breaking attendance is expected at the Pryor Street Presbyterian church, corner Pryor and Glenn streets, at both the Sunday services. A special committee of men under leadership of W. G. McNair, chairman of the board of deacons, and Arthur J. Dunlap, secretary, have voluntarily organized themselves into a "Booster club," with the avowed purpose of securing the attendance of every member of the church for at least one service each Sunday. Under their direction many calls have been made and special invitations have been mailed out to some five hundred members urging their attendance Sunday. At the 11 o'clock service the pastor, Rev. J. Edwin Hemphill, will speak on "Lessons Gleaned From 1919." At 7:30 p. m., the choir will render a special program of Christmas anthems, and the pastor will deliver a ten-minute sermon on "Bringing Up the Rear." A watch party is being planned for Wednesday night with a number of special features that will be announced later.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN.

Tomorrow Rev. B. R. Lacy, Jr., will occupy his pulpit at the Central Presbyterian church at both the morning and evening hours. At 11 o'clock Dr. Lacey will preach a New Year's sermon. At 7:30 p. m. the Young Woman's Bible class and the Brotherhood will have charge of the service, and the music will be in charge of Mr. F. L. Willis. The Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30 p. m., and an inspiring program is planned.

HARRIS STREET PRESBYTERIAN.

At the Harris Street Presbyterian church, the pastor, Rev. Jere A. Moore, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 6:45 p. m., Mrs. Yongema, leader.

EAST POINT PRESBYTERIAN.

At East Point Presbyterian church Sunday morning Dr. Holderby will have for his subject, "The Coronation of the Year." "How to Make Next Year Better Than This" will be the topic for the Christian Endeavor society.

DRUID HILLS PRESBYTERIAN.

At the Druid Hills Presbyterian church, Rev. D. M. McIver, pastor, 11 a. m. Sunday, the subject will be "The Day of Trouble;" 7:30 p. m., "The Real King." Special music. A church with the human touch.

GORDON STREET PRESBYTERIAN.

The following program will be observed at the Gordon Street Presbyterian church on Sunday: Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by Rev. R. M. Stimson, the pastor, at 11 a. m.; subject, "The Mission of Christ." Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m., led by Miss Elva Wilson. The evening service at 7:45 o'clock will be under the auspices of the choir, who will sing a Christmas cantata, "The Light Eternal," by Petrie. The public is invited.

COLLEGE PARK PRESBYTERIAN.

Appropriate to the season of the year Dr. Elliott will preach a special sermon on the topic, "Looking Forward" at the Sunday morning service at 11 a. m., and on Sunday evening at 7:45 he will make an address on "How to Make Next Year Better Than This," following the Christian Endeavor meeting which occurs at 7:15. On Wednesday evening at 10 o'clock an old-fashioned watch night service will be held. Refreshments will be served and an invitation is extended to all the people of all the churches of College Park and all others interested. It will be a unique and unusual service.

TRINITY METHODIST.

Dr. S. R. Belk will preach at 11 a. m. Sunday on "The Perfect Humanity of Christ as a Proof of His Divinity" at the Trinity Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. A large chorus choir will render a special program of Christmas music. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The Epworth league will meet at 6 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Professor Potter and the choir of Trinity church will render a program of special Christmas music on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. An unusually good program has been arranged. Program: "Te Deum in C" (Calkin)—for full chorus; "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Field" (Garrett)—Mrs. Edwards and choir; solo, "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night" (Braga)—Mrs. Arthur Akin; organ solo, "Hallelujah Chorus" (Handel); "Glory Be to God on High" (from Farmer's "Mass in B flat"); "Tho' Poor Be the Chamber" (Gounod; arranged by Professor Potter for men's chorus, women's chorus and full choir).

PONCE DE LEON METHODIST.

At the Ponce de Leon Avenue Methodist Episcopal church the program for Sunday follows: 11 a. m., regular order of worship; sermon, "The Unshaken Christ," by the pastor; 7:45 p. m., "The Christmas King," a sacred cantata; voluntary; hymn No. 111, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing;" invocation; "Prepare Ye the Way" (introduction and opening chorus); "O'er the Silent Eastern Hills" (soprano and alto duet and choir); "Follow the Guiding Star" (men's chorus); "Glorious Morn" (choir); "And There Were Shepherds" (contralto solo, woman's chorus and choir); "The Song Is Ringing Still" (soprano solo); remarks by the pastor, Rev. O. J. Carder, D. D.; offertory, cornet solo—E. J. Conklin; "Joy to the World"—choir; "Cradle Hymn" (mezzo soprano solo with choir accompaniment); "Praise Ye the Lord"—choir; "Fairest Lord Jesus" (mezzo soprano and baritone duet); "There Is Room in My Heart"—choir; "Come and Worship"—choir; benediction. The evening offering will be given to the choir for the purchase of new music.

INMAN PARK METHODIST.

At the Inman Park Methodist church the Rev. T. R. Kendall, pastor, Sunday program follows: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Asa G. Candler, superintendent; worship and preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Pastor's morning topic, "Between the Old and New Year—Christ Is All;" evening subject, "The Greatest Adventure." Paul Hubbard, musical director, with male quartet and large choir.

LUTHERAN CHURCH.

At the Lutheran church on Sunday the Bible school lesson will be held at 9:45 a. m. The sermon subject for the morning services at 11 o'clock is "The Growing Child." In the evening at 7:30 o'clock the theme of the pastor is "The Dying Year."

LIBERAL CHRISTIAN.

In addition to the regular announcements in the church column, special attention is called to the fact that Rev. D. L. Fisher, brother of the former pastor of the Universalist church of this city, will preach in the morning, and in the evening directly following the young people's meeting, will give a talk on "The Southern Industrial Institute" at Camp Hill, Ala. This is an institution which has been doing a great work for the poor and medium class of whites in the south. Come and hear him.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE.

Another young Atlantan has responded to the appeal for men in the mission fields of the world, and is preparing to devote his life to Christian work in the east. David J. Fant, son of the engineer-evangelist, and resident of Atlanta for twenty-three years, will speak at the Gospel Tabernacle, affiliated with the Christian and Missionary alliance, 79 Capitol avenue, next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Fant is a graduate of Furman university, Greenville, S. C. Since his graduation he has spent a year in the United States navy, serving his country in the late war. At the present time he is enrolled as a student and teacher at the Missionary Training institute, Nyack, N. Y. His course will be completed in May, and he is expecting to leave immediately for Palestine to engage in active mission work. The subject of the morning will be "What Did the Birth of Christ Really Mean?"

Patience—I hear that France has nowhere near as many telephones as England.

Patrice — That's easily accounted for. You see, most Frenchmen talk with their hands.—Yonkers Statesman.

CHANGE IN RATES OF WANT ADS IN THE CONSTITUTION, NOV. 1, 1919.

One time .... 15c a line
Three times .... 12c a line
Seven times .... 10c a line
Thirty times or more 9c
(Each Issue)

Advertisements under the following classifications will only be inserted when cash accompanies the order.
For Rent—Rooms, Furnished or Unfurnished.
Wanted—Boarders.
Wanted—Board.
For Rent—Rooms Furnished.
For Rent—Rooms Unfurnished.
Wanted—To Rent Rooms Furnished.
Situation Wanted—Female.
Situation Wanted—Male.
Wanted—To Rent Rooms Unfurnished.

No phone orders accepted for advertisements that are to appear under "cash in advance" classifications.
Above rates for consecutive insertions only.
Count six ordinary words to each line.
No advertisement accepted for less than two lines.
The Constitution will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.
Discontinuance of advertising must be in writing. It will not be accepted by phone. This protects your interests as well as ours.
Accounts opened for ads (excepting those classifications that are cash with order) by telephone to accommodate you if your name is in the telephone directory. Want ads taken by telephone are to be paid for immediately upon application, bill to be presented by mail or solicitor the same day.

TELEPHONE 5000 MAIN.

PERSONAL

PATENTS AND TRADE-MARKS.
MASON, Fenwick & Lawrence, Washington, D. C., established over half a century. Three late examiners of the U. S. patent office now on our staff. Best references. Send sketch of invention.

MATERNITY Sanitarium, private, refined, homelike. Homes provided for infants. Mrs. Mitchell, 22 Windsor street.

NEW Turkish bath now open for business. LEVERETT, 40½ Luckie. Ivy 2867.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST — Diamond circular brooch pin at Piedmont Driving club. Finder kindly return to club or 1014 Peachtree. Reward.

$50—REWARD—$50
FOR ARREST and conviction of thieves who stole 1920 Buick sedan, motor No. 566496, frame No. 577656, license No. 122141, from 916 Peachtree December 22. Notify AUTOMOBILE UNDERWRITERS DETECTIVE BUREAU.
1317 Hurt Bldg. Atlanta, Ga.

$50—REWARD—$50.
FOR ARREST and conviction of thieves who stole 1918 Dodge touring car, factory No. 286835, license No. 54867, from front of express office December 22. Notify AUTOMOBILE UNDERWRITERS DETECTIVE BUREAU.
1317 Hurt Bldg. Atlanta, Ga.

$50—REWARD—$50
FOR ARREST and conviction of thieves who stole Ford touring car, motor No. 3201132, license No. 110466, from Cone and Poplar streets, December 22. Notify.
AUTOMOBILE UNDERWRITERS DETECTIVE BUREAU.
1317 Hurt Bldg. Atlanta, Ga.

$50—REWARD—$50.
FOR ARREST and conviction of thieves who stole Ford touring car, motor No. 2558386, from front of 218 St. Charles avenue, December 21. Notify
AUTOMOBILE UNDERWRITERS DETECTIVE BUREAU.
1317 Hurt Bldg. Atlanta, Ga.

$50—REWARD—$50
FOR arrest and conviction of thieves who stole Packard car, motor No. 83505, license No. 19911, from 707 Ponce de Leon ave., December 20. Notify Automobile Underwriters' Detective Bureau, 1317 Hurt building, Atlanta, Ga.

TAKEN through mistake on Dec. 24, between Atlanta and Chipley, suitcase containing two bolts of longcloth, a suit and other articles. Please notify Alice Harris, 62 West Baker street, Atlanta, Ga. Phone Ivy 3269 and exchange suitcase.

LOST—At Ga. railroad station Wednesday afternoon, 3 o'clock, antique necklace, heavy gold pendant, one large pearl in middle. Liberal reward if returned to Miss A. L. Tappan, Daffodil Tea Room.

LIBERAL reward for black fox fur neckpiece lost at Grand Friday night. Call Main 5018-W.

LOST—Small purse between Alabama and Hunter street, on West View car No. 415, containing $15 and some small change. Call West 1304-J for reward.

LOST—Purple silk muffler Christmas night. Kindly call Hemlock 2110.

LOST—An Elgin wrist watch in downtown district, engraved on back "F. A." Finder please call Ivy 2063-W. Reward.

ONE black fur neckpiece Monday morning near corner North avenue and Highland. Return Constitution for reward.

LOST—Ladies' gold Shrine pin, diamond and ruby set. Return to Josephine L. Cloudman, 91 E. Merritts ave. Reward.

LOST—Large brown collie; answers to the name Jack. Finder please return to 465 Woodward avenue or write Hugh T. Jones.

FOUND—Two big mares, are red and black. Dave Dickson, Blandtown, Ga.

FOUND—White pointer, with liver-colored spots. 78 Markham street.

LOST—Small red mule, Wednesday night. 139 Martin street.

$5 REWARD for blueish color cow. Last seen going toward Stockbridge. G. W. Autrey, Rex, Ga.

LOST—Ladies gold wrist watch Wednesday afternoon on Peachtree or Whitehall car, or between Piedmont hotel and Rialto theater; reward. Call Ivy 325.

LOST—At Piedmont Driving club Tuesday night, platinum bar pin set with diamond and pearls. Finder please return to Mrs. J. T. Arm, 30 East Eighth street.

HELP WANTED—Male

ARCHITECTURAL draftsmen, easy hours and good pay. Apply V. B. Whatley, 57½ S. Pryor street.

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper to report January 1. Good place for right man. Georgia Hardware Co., Brunswick, Ga.

WANTED—Experienced automobile draftsman. Apply to Mr. E. F. Paepper, Superior Motor Truck Co.

TEN colored men or boys for light work; steady job; starting at $15 per week. Apply at 39 Auburn avenue.

WANTED, HARDWOOD FLOOR MEN, for laying and finishing hardwood floors; can use 5 or 6 experienced men at $1 per hour, railroad fare and board; steady work. Southern Building Supply Co., 670 Cherry street, Macon, Ga.

WANTED—Young man, 15 or 16 years of age, as office boy; permanent position with opportunity for promotion. Don't apply unless you desire a permanent place. Apply 303 Empire Bldg.

WANTED—Butler, experienced in housework. No chauffeurs. 1457 Peachtree.

WANTED—Licensed drug man. Apply with reference. Chas. A. Smith Drug Co., 4-6 Peachtree street.

WANTED—Combination chauffeur and butler for small family; city references required by appointment. Address X-80, Const.

WANTED—Experienced waiter. Apply early at 21 W. Alabama street.

WANTED—An experienced shoe salesman, local man preferred. Apply at Globe Shoe Co., 62 Peachtree street.

WANTED—Combination man for book bindery, forwarder and finisher; pleasant shop, union, scale $32.50. Address The State Company, Columbia, S. C.

AUDIT company, organizing, wants C. P. A. as secretary. P. O. Box 471, Atlanta, Ga.

NEWS AGENT wanted. R. R. service; good run. Crescent News Co., 34 E. Hunter.

YOUNG man wanted as news agent on train. Union News Co., 36 Madison ave.

WANTED—First-class molders; steady employment; wages 65 cents per hour; open shop; don't write, but come ready to work. Asheville Supply and Foundry Co., Asheville, North Carolina.

WANTED—An all-around dental laboratory man; permanent employment; also Ala. license dentist. Address Dr. Tapia, Mobile, Alabama.

WANTED—Farm superintendent of experience for 12-horse farm, new home, good equipment; give full particulars in first letter. Dixon Williams, Milledgeville, Ga.

INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS WILL TRAIN YOU FOR POSITION YOU WANT. 27 ARCADE BLDG.

HELP WANTED—Male

GOOD OFFICE BOY; PERMANENT POSITION. APPLY TO ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT CONSTITUTION OFFICE.

WANT AT ONCE OFFICE BOY; PERMANENT. APPLY CIRCULATION MANAGER, 3D FLOOR CONSTITUTION BUILDING.

WANTED—Several men to carry newspaper routes. A hustler can make good salary. See Mr. Earnest, City Circulation, Dept., Constitution.

WANTED — AT ONCE, YOUNG MAN BOOKKEEPER, WHO IS RAPID AND ACCURATE IN HANDLING FIGURES AND DETAIL; PERMANENT TO RIGHT MAN. APPLY IN OWN HANDWRITING AND STATE SALARY TO BEGIN WITH. ADDRESS T. T. J., CARE CONSTI.

WANTED—Salesmen already employed during the week to work every Saturday afternoon and evening. Good pay. Apply early Saturday at Watson's, corner Pryor and Decatur streets.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN OUR ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT. MUST BE ABLE TO USE TYPEWRITER AND DO FILING. H. WILENSKY & SONS CO., 25 S. FORSYTH ST.

WANTED—Young man about 25 to 30 years of age to fill responsible position in large office; must be capable, industrious and experienced; character must be beyond question; bond will be required; prefer a man who is now employed; please do not apply unless you want a permanent position; want one who has ambition and will stick. When applying do so in own handwriting, giving address, phone number, age, experience, references, and state whether married or single. Address X-68, care Constitution.

BRIGHT BOY WANTED FOR OFFICE WORK. APPLY SWIFT & CO., 909 GRANT BUILDING.

BRICKLAYERS

MEMBERS of 14 and 6 of Ga. wanted to attend joint meeting, Labor Temple, 7:30 p. m., December 30, 1919. Business important.

SALESMEN and solicitors to handle new high-class, much needed automobile accessory; positively an all-year seller and money-maker; backed by good advertising. Many city and county rights still open; on extremely liberal basis; full or part time satisfactory. Address U. S. Auto Appliance Co., 1063 E. 21st, South, Salt Lake City, Utah.

WANTED—First-class candy maker to open a candy department in a large drug store; one anxious to attend to business and make money. Address Henry Buschemeyer, 4th and Jefferson, Louisville, Ky.

YOUNG MEN—18-35, for railway mail clerks, $1,300-$1,500; experience unnecessary; examinations Atlanta Jan. 17; for free particulars write R. Terry (former civil service examiner), 74 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WANTED—Newspaper makeup; linotype machinist; machinist operators and floor men. Non-union; reference required. Address Ft. Smith Printing Publishing Fraternity (comprising two daily newspapers and seven job shops), Ft. Smith, Ark.

FOUR neat-appearing young men with selling experience to go on road, Georgia and Florida territory; men earning $50 per week above expenses. Call before 8:30 a. m.; ask for Mr. McNarom, 407 Austell Bldg.

YES—Professor Branning guarantees to teach you the barber trade in few weeks; chain of shops; good wages, 14 E. Mitchell.

MEN learn barbering; more pay, light work; wages earned. Call or write Moler Barber College, 61 North Forsyth street, Atlanta, Ga.

LINOTYPE OPERATOR—First-class machinist-operator for job work; eight hours, good working conditions, in a good town. State salary and when you can come. Pepper Printing Co., Gainesville, Fla.

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED — Dictaphone operator for lumber department; no amateurs wanted; good hours and surroundings. Place open now. Phone Main 2251.

TWO EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAIDS. APPLY WINECOFF HOTEL.

HIGH-CLASS stenographer, who is very rapid in taking dictation and operating Remington typewriter; hours 8:30 to 5:30, hour and a half for lunch, Saturday afternoons off; small office, with most congenial surroundings; must be able to go to work by January 1. Apply in person to Portage Rubber Co., 270 Ivy street.

Secretary-Stenographer

TO PRESIDENT of established firm, one capable of looking after general details without supervision; permanent position with good salary. State qualifications. P. O. Box 1316.

COLORED girl to do housework for small family, half day only. If you want the job apply Saturday morning, 173 Hopkins street, West End.

RELIABLE colored woman for general housework, steam-heated room in house. 320 Pulliam street.

WANTED—Experienced girl for book bindery, one who understands blank work and operation of Smythe sewing machine. Address The State Company, Columbia, S. C.

WANTED—Stenographer; all or part time. Apply to Mr. Wollam, 72 E. Hunter st.

A BUSINESS woman to take full charge of a home where servants are necessary. Must be capable of managing help and expenses. Interview by appointment. References required, of course. Address X-78, care Const.

WANTED—Girl to answer phone and take orders. Hamilton Plumbing Co., 161 Marietta street.

WE HAVE several openings in the comptometer school for girls, 18 to 25, with high school education or accounting experience who would like to secure a position as comptometer operator. Salaries above the average. Great demand. 417 Empire Building.

BE A TELEPHONE operator. $12 per wk. at start. Miss Prince, 25 Auburn ave.

COMPETENT maid wanted at once. Hemlock 991-J.

HELP WANTED—Female HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—EXPERIENCED POWER MACHINE OPERATORS TO LEARN TO SEW MATTRESS TICKS. COMFORTABLE WORKING SURROUNDINGS; GOOD WAGES WHILE LEARNING. APPLY MONDAY MORNING, SOUTHERN SPRING BED CO., 2 HILL ST.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Arrival and departure of passenger trains Atlanta Terminal Station and Union Passenger Station.

The following schedule figures published as information and not guaranteed.

(Central Standard Time.)

Atlanta Terminal Station.

ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD.

Arrives—		—Leaves
6:05 am	Waycross-T'asville-Bruns	7:15 am
5:25 pm	Waycross-T'asville-Bruns	10:00 pm

ATLANTA AND WEST POINT RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
12:40 am	New Orleans-Montgomery	6:00 am
7:50 pm	Newnan-Columbus	7:10 am
7:05 pm	Montgomery—Local	8:05 am
2:40 pm	New Orleans-Montgomery	2:10 pm
10:55 am	Newnan-Columbus	4:05 pm
9:40 am	West Point—Local	5:40 pm
11:50 am	New Orleans-Montgomery	6:40 pm

CENTRAL OF GEORGIA RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
6:20 am	Savannah	7:50 am
6:20 am	Albany	7:50 am
6:20 am	Macon	7:50 am
6:20 am	Thomasville	11:00 pm
6:20 am	Tallahassee	11:00 pm
6:25 am	Valdosta	11:45 pm
6:25 am	Jacksonville	8:00 pm
7:40 am	Jacksonville	11:45 pm
2:10 pm	Macon	12:30 pm
3:50 pm	Savannah	9:40 pm
8:40 pm	Macon	11:00 pm

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
11:30 pm	Cincinnati-Louisville	6:40 am

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
9:00 pm	Hamlet-Monroe—Local	6:10 am
8:15 pm	Birmingham—Local	8:10 am
4:00 pm	New York-Washington	12 noon
4:00 pm	Richmond-Norfolk	12 noon
9:40 am	Abbeville—Local	4:00 pm
10:00 am	Piedmont, Ala.—Local	4:10 pm
11:45 am	Birmingham-Memphis	5:10 pm
8:00 am	New York-Washington	8:25 pm
8:00 am	Richmond-Norfolk	8:25 pm

SOUTHERN RAILROAD LINES

Arrives—		—Leaves
5:25 am	New York-Washington	1:00 am
5:25 am	Jacksonville	1:45 am
1:35 am	Cincinnati-Chicago	5:35 am
11:50 pm	Kansas City-Birmingham	5:40 am
8:35 pm	Chattan'ga-Rome—Local	6:40 am
4:40 pm	Charlotte—Local	6:30 am
9:30 pm	Columbus—Local	7:20 am
7:55 pm	Brunswick-Macon—Local	7:50 am
2:00 pm	Macon	12:20 pm
6:05 pm	N. Y.-Wash'ton-Rich'nd	11:40 am
6:15 pm	New York-Washington	12:20 pm
8:00 pm	Greenville—Local	12:55 pm
11:05 am	Chattanooga-Rome—Local	3:45 pm
8:10 am	Toccoa—Local	4:45 pm
11:20 am	Columbus—Local	4:45 pm
11:15 am	Fort Valley—Local	4:55 pm
10:50 am	Macon—Local	5:00 pm
12:45 pm	Birmingham	5:15 pm
1:40 pm	Cincinnati	2:10 pm
7:45 am	Asheville-Charlotte	10:40 pm
7:50 am	Shreveport-Birmingham	10:20 pm
5:00 am	Jacksonville-Brunswick	8:45 pm

Following Southern Railroad trains arrive and depart from Peachtree Station and do not enter Terminal Station:

Arrives—		—Leaves
3:00 pm	Birmingham	11:30 am
11:25 am	Washington-Richmond	3:12 pm

WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
7:40 pm	Chicago-St. Louis	8:00 am
7:40 pm	Nashville-Chattanooga	8:00 am

Union Passenger Station.

GEORGIA RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
1:55 pm	Augusta	5:45 am
6:10 pm	Augusta-Columbia	12:15 pm
8:25 pm	Augusta	3:00 pm
*7:30 am	Monroe	*6:10 pm
7:50 am	Charleston-Columbia	7:40 pm
7:50 am	Augusta-Wilmington	7:40 pm

* Daily except Sunday.

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
4:55 pm	Knoxville via Blue Ridge	7:20 pm
10:15 am	Copper Hill—Local	3:20 pm
12:30 pm	Cincinnati-Louisville	4:00 pm
12:30 pm	Knoxville via Cartersville	4:00 pm

WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD

Arrives—		—Leaves
7:25 pm	Nashville-Chattanooga	8:30 am
10:30 am	Rome-Chattanooga—Local	5:10 am
8:00 am	Nashville-St. Louis	8:30 pm

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HELP WANTED—Female

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1920 Ford Touring; starter	760
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WANTED—Two bedrooms and kitchenette for light housekeeping; walking distance. P. O. Box 668.

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WANTED—By Jan. 1, light housekeeping rooms in refined private home, young couple. Phone during office hours, 8 to 5. Main 2271.

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WANTED—2 bedrooms and kitchenette, furnished for light housekeeping. Ivy 2026, between 9 and 11 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m.

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APARTMENTS—For Rent

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FIVE-ROOM furnished apartment, January 1, 3 mos.; large living room, large dining room, two large bedrooms, bath, kitchen and butler's pantry; steam heat; 800 Peachtree, No. 2, second floor; no children. Phone Hemlock 1478 for appointments. $125 per month.

FOR RENT—3-room apartment on Gordon street, furnished; hot and cold water. Phone West 1531.

MODERN steam-heated 6-room apartment; partly furnished, $110; north side. Hemlock 332.

381 SPRING—4-room apt., furnace heat, private bath. Owner. Ivy 1875-J.

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BEAUTIFUL brand-new bungalow, 80 Inman circle, near corner 17th st.; includes 4 bedrooms, extra lavatory, side drive and garage, large lot; most artistic. Open for inspection. Price $125 per month. Geo. P. Howard, 1520 Candler bldg. Ivy 4950.

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NEW 6-room brick bungalow, one room reserved; adults. Nelson, P. O. Box 16.

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Consult Our Rental Bulletin.
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DESK SPACE—For Rent

FOR RENT—Desk space, also basement. Standard Tire & Rubber Co., 40 Luckie st.

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SECOND FLOOR 25x25 feet, front half 61½ E. Alabama street. Ivy 4545. Geo. W. Seiple.

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WANTED — Office space; 3 or 4-room suite, central location desirable building. Box 1028 Atlanta.

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I WANT to rent an office for my real estate and renting business; Empire building preferred. If you intend to vacate your office would take over your lease. Would rent ground floor in some central location if price not too high. Address W-226, care Constitution.

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LIST your property for sale with Fitzhugh Knox, Candler Bldg.

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NORTH SIDE.

NORTH SIDE
A REAL CHRISTMAS GIFT
SIX-ROOM MODERN HOME. In first-class condition, newly painted; large lot; two-room servant's house in rear. Best north side section. Immediate possession. Big bargain if you act quick. Price, $7,000; $1,000 under value. Easy terms.
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Main 2091

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ATTRACTIVE bungalow, close to Peachtree street; steam heat and other attractive features; price $12,000. Monday will be too late. For full particulars see Chas. L. Greene, 6 North Pryor street.

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W. E. TREADWELL & CO. Real estate for sale or exchange. Empire Bldg.

SEE our Sale List published weekly. M. L. Thrower, 39 North Forsyth street.

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REAL ESTATE BARGAINS. Evans & Dodd, 213 Empire building.

$4,150—Fourth Ward investment property; rented $45. W. E. Perry, Ivy 6414.

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FOR home bargains see Payne & McArthur, Transportation Bldg.

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$2,750—In Grant Park, just off Georgia ave., 6 rooms, gas, bath, good fixtures, convenient and in good repair; terms only $250 cash, balance $25 a month. Don't miss this one. C. A. Forsyth, 207 Central building. Main 2882.

INMAN PARK.

INMAN PARK—Beautiful new 6-room bungalow on Euclid avenue for $6,250; $2,500 cash, $50 per month; on large corner lot. Room for another house. This house and lot is worth $7,500. E. L. Harling, 815 Atlanta National Bank Bldg. Main 1287.

WEST END

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NICE 6-room house; small cash payment, pay balance less than rent; will take automobile as part payment; move in today. Call West 1909-W. Mr. White.

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40-Acre Florida Farm
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LAST year of nearly $2,100. Few yards to improved road, 2½ miles splendid town, high school, etc. Entire acreage in fertile tillage, wire-fenced and cross-fenced. Nice income from oranges, grapefruit, peaches, pears, figs, guavas; 2-story 6-room house, verandas, other buildings. $3,000 gets all, easy terms. Details page 58 Strout's Catalog Farm Bargains 23 States; copy free. E. A. STROUT FARM AGENCY, 1210-M. Heard bldg., Jacksonville, Fla.

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IMPROVED farm, 35 acres, one mile from Stone Mountain; $90 per acre on time; $75 per acre spot cash. Owner, 209 Candler Building.

FOR action see Atlanta Land Auction Co., 924 Ansley Hotel. Mr. Oglesby.

FARMS for sale and trade. S. K. Sutton Agency, 503 Walton Bldg. Ivy 6295.

FARM LANDS—For Rent

2 TO 7-HORSE FARM
CHEAP for standing rent, 2½ miles Conyers, 27 miles Atlanta, ample buildings, good land, all farm implements at ½ price. Grossman's, 670 Washington st., Atlanta. Main 2565-W.

REAL ESTATE—Wanted REAL ESTATE—Wanted

HOMES WANTED
FOR IMMEDIATE SALE we need several houses, either new houses or old houses in fairly good condition. If the loan on your place is pushing you and you want to be relieved of it, we can sell it NOW to our purchasers. Regardless of where your house is located and the condition it is in, we almost guarantee to sell it if listed with us at once. We also need several pieces of good investment property. WHAT HAVE YOU? HURRY! HURRY! HURRY!
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124 WALTON ST. IVY 7236.

FRENCH PRESIDENCY GOING TO "TIGER"

Paris, December 26.—President Poincare's successor will be elected on January 17, according to the inference generally drawn by the Parisian press from Premier Clemenceau's statement in the chamber that his cabinet would definitely resign on that date. It is also deduced from the premier's declaration that he will be a candidate for the presidency, which means he will be elected virtually without opposition.

Speculation regarding "The Tiger's" successor as head of the cabinet is consequently eclipsing discussion as to the next president of the republic. Alexandre Millerand, governor of Alsace-Lorraine, seems to have a great lead so far as predictions are concerned.

M. Clemenceau's acceptance of the presidency is so far taken for granted that gossip as to the next occupant of the Elysee palace has been almost completely stifled.

More that 90 per cent, of the alcohol and alcoholic drinks made in the Philippines are derived from palm tree juices.

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Orduna .....Jan. 3
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Mauretania..Dec. 30, Jan. 28, Mar. 10
Imperator .....Feb. 21

NEW YORK to PLYMOUTH, HAVRE and SOUTHAMPTON
Royal George, Jan.24, Feb.24, Mar.22

NEW YORK to PLYMOUTH, HAVRE and LONDON
Saxonia.....Dec. 31, Feb. 7

NEW YORK to PIRAEUS and TRIESTE
Pannonia .....Jan. 20

NEW YORK—L'DERRY—GLASGOW
Columbia.....Jan. 10, Feb. 7, Mar. 6

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$1,500 per foot for land in the heart of the Women's retail shopping section will unquestionably prove good judgment of the buyer.

In three years it will be worth $3,000 per foot.

Will pay 10% on asked price in three years.

See 57 and 59 South Broad St., and phone me.

200 Arcade **Robt. R. Otis** Main 5511

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We are again successful in outbidding others on nails offered by the Government from surplus stocks at one of the Cantonments.

We were also fortunate in securing a better assortment than on the first award. We have had to pay more for this last lot and are compelled to increase our price to $6.50 base F. O. B. Atlanta. Write us for list of sizes.

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ATLANTA, GA.

Auction Sale Horses and Mules

Every Wednesday and Thursday

We have been having from 600 to 1,100 consigned horses and mules of all kinds and have the assurance of that many or more for each sale.

Beginning with our sale of December 31st and January 1st and during the months of January and February we will have a big supply of young farm mares, southern mares and horses to be sold at auction.

You can also find at our barns at all times an assortment of from 1,000 to 1,500 of cotton mules, sugar mules and miner mules.

If you are in the market it will pay you to visit the Wichita Horse and Mule Market.

Wichita Horse and Mule Commission Co.

C. B. Team Mule Company

Reference: Union Stock Yards National Bank.
Union Stock Yards
WICHITA KANSAS

THE GUMPS—O SING ME A SONG OF THE SUNNY SOUTH



NINE STAR AVIATORS CALLED BY AERO CLUB

New York, December 26.—A call for the nine best airmen in the United States to represent this country in international aeronautic contests next year, was issued by the Aero Club of America tonight. National elimination races may be the method of selecting the best flyers in three branches, airplanes, seaplanes, nad balloons. Although the Aero Club, as the representative of the International Aeronautic Federation in this country, is empowered to make the selections arbitrarily. Organizations affiliated with the Aero Club of America have been asked to express their preference on this point. Augustus Post, secretary of the club, who recently returned from a conference on the international body in Europe, Asia and South America, will enter their best airmen in the various races.

The international balloon races will be held in this country. The date and place for the start and the three pilots to be selected from an eligible list of 850, will be announced by the Aero Club shortly. The United States has won four of the eight races held since 1906.

A $5,000 prize is offered by Italy to the winner of the international seaplane contest, to be held in that country. The Royal Aero Club of England won the first contest in 1913. The second hace was held this year in England, but the only flyer to complete the race, and Italian, was disqualified.

France will be the scene of the international airplanes races. The rules and regulations will be decided on by the International Aeronautic Federation soon. There are 4,8000 pilots eligible to comete for the honor of representing this country, which has twice won the contest. France has won the trophy twice in succession and will hold it permanently should she win the 1920 contest.

FIVE MACHINES STOLEN

Police Conducting Search for Missing Cars.

Atlanta police and detectives are conducting a search for five automobiles reported as having been stolen within the last thirty-six hours. The following are the cars:

One Hudson super-six, belonging to Mrs. Viola Thompson, of 88 Barnett street.

One Dodge touring car, owned by Samuel Barnett, of 976 Piedmont avenue.

One Cadillac eight, owned by B. L. Daniel, of 100 Forrest avenue.

One five-passenger Packard, belonging to G. W. Hansen, no address given.

One Buick four, owned by T. C. Clark, of 45 Park avenue.

OFFICERS ARE NAMED FOR BEN HILL LODGE

Ben Hill lodge, No. 674, F. & A. M., in regular communication Friday night, elected and installed the following officers: Dr. Roy W. McGee, W. M.; W. O. Suttles, S. W.; I. C. Baker, J. W.; E. J. Waits, treasurer; B. F. Suttles, secretary; Howard F. White, S. D.; T. J. Powell, J. D.; I. C. Bryant, S. S.; E. W. Sparks, J. S.; W. A. Waits, tyler, and J. B. Turner, chaplain.

DUTY ON AUTOMOBILES REDUCED BY FRANCE

Paris, December 26.—The duty on automobiles and automobile parts was reduced today from 70 per cent ad valorem to 45 per cent, and it is announced that a further reduction is possible.

The report on which the decree of reduction in duty is based states that the automobile industry of England, Belgium, Italy and France is agreed that a uniform tax of 33 1-3 per cent should be exacted between these countries, but as the American tariff is 45 per cent, the French tariff is reduced to the same figure with the understanding that a further reduction to 33 1-3 per cent is possible if the United States adheres to the agreement.

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GERMANY SCHEMES TO CONTROL RUSSIA

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Warsaw, December, 26—A Polish officer just returned from the Ukraine, where he was in contact with Russian troops, says that Russian officers regarded General Krangel's appointment to the command of the volunter army of General Denikine as a surrender to German influence, they were familiar with the idea of co-operation with the Germans as the alternative to British assistance if the latter failed and with the German plans with regard to Russia.

These plans aim at making the controlling influence behind both the bolshevist and anti-bolshevist efforts in Russia as a means to this end. When this influence with both sides is sufficiently strongly established, it would be used to bring about the downfall of Bolshevism and the restoration of the monarchy in Russia.

The informant states that very satisfactory relations had been established between the Poles and General Denikine's troops but the position of the latter in the western Ukraine is precarious since they only held the railway line and had the rest of the country anything but under control. Communications between Preskurev and Russian headquarters at Smerika have been repeated raided by a force of three thousand brigands armed with cannon and machine guns. The advance of the bolshevists at Bordeucheffe likewise threatened this position from the north. The Russians stated that they had no objection to the Poles advancing further if they themselves were compelled to withdraw their lines.

REDS ARE CONTENTED ON THE SOVIET "ARK"

Washington, December 26.—A wireless message from the army transport Buford on which a number of radicals were deported from the United States, received at the war department today, said everything was well on board the ship and "the reds contented."

All dealings between the ship officials and the passengers are carried on through Alexander Berkmann, who before the Buford sailed was chosen by the deportees as their leader.

The radiogram, dated "at sea December 24," was as folows:

"General Hines, Washington: The reds are contented and everything is o. k. Even on leaving the island (Ellis Island) there was no disturbance and no cursing as stated in the newspapers. They are allowed on deck for exercise in the morning and again in the afternoon. They are obedient and respectful. The weather is moderate with rain; the ship steady, averaging eight knots. Her course is southward for the Azores that rough seas may be avoided. Dealings with the reds are through Berkmann, the leader. There are no signs of seasickness aboard. Mess for all classes is excellent, the chief steward and steward's crew being exceptional. Special attention is being paid to ventilation and the berth compartments are strictly clean and orderly."

OILED PAPER USED FOR WINDOW GLASS

Valenciennes, France, December 26.—Millions of yards of oiled paper are being used in France as a substitute for window glass, while the glass works in ten departments, wiped out during the war, are being rebuilt. This observation was made today by the correspondent of the Associated Press, who is being made acquainted with reconstruction work through a trip conducted under government auspices.

Engineering experts estimate it will be three years before pre-war production can be attained by the glass works, but they forecast greatly increased output after that because of the modernization of the plants now completed.

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CARS OF CENTRAL PLUNGE IN RIVER; TRAFFIC TIED UP

Macon, December 26.—A freight car in the middle of a Central of Georgia train jumped the track on the Oconee river bridge at Athens late this afternoon and carried three other cars with it into the river. The cars were loaded with potash and nitrate of soda. A car of lumber that was left hanging over the side of the trestle later fell into the stream. One hundred and fifty feet of the 300-foot trestle was torn down. No one was injured. Traffic over this division will be tied up until repairs can be made.

Big Bond Is Demanded To Bar Return of Booze To the United States

Philadelphia, December 26.—A bond of $12,500,000 will be required of the exporters of 30,000 barrels of whiskey bound here from Louisville Ky., before their cargoes can be shipped, according to customs house officials. The bond will be demanded, is was said, to prevent the return of the liquor to the United States in any form. The cargo will be shipped to France on the steamer Western comet.

FIGHTS TO BE NAMED MOTHER OF BABY IRENE

Toronto, Ontario, December 26.—Counsel for Mrs. Dolly L. Matters, of Chicago, today filed notice of appeal from Supreme Court Justice Lennox's decision that she was not the mother of "Baby Irene," claimed by her and Miss Mary Ryan, of Ottawa. The justice on December 9 last found Miss Ryan was the child's mother but ordered the child held in the court's jurisdiction until Mrs. Matters could appeal from his judgment.

Mrs. Matters' counsel alleged discovery of new evidence in the case. Records procurable at the registrar general's department prove that Mrs. Matters is "Baby Irene's" mother, the petition for appeal states, asserting that the trial judge erred in not holding that the records of a public institution are prima facie proof that the child is Mrs. Matters'.

Mrs. Matters is out on bail on a charge of attempted kidnaping, preferred after a United States court had decided Miss Ryan was "Baby Irene's" mother and had given her into the latter's custody. Mrs. Matters had gone to Ottawa and tried to seize the child from the Ryan home, the charge alleged. Until the question of maternity has been settled, the kidnaping charge is held in abeyance.

CZECH CHALLENGES RUSSIAN GENERAL

Irkustk, December 26.—(By the Associated Press.)—As a result of a new outburst of ill-feeling between the Czechs and Russians, following an exchange of recriminations by Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian government, and Dr. Valda Girsa, Czecho-Slovak commissioner in Siberia, General Kappell, commander in chief of the western armies of the all-Russian government, has challenged General Syrovy, commanding the Czechs, to a duel.

Social revolutionary elements have formed a government at Tcheromkova. These elements are becoming aggressive and it would cause no surprise if an attempt were made to overthrow the Kolchak regime. The political situation is considered acute. Admiral Kolchak has been delayed on his way to Irkustk and is believed to be west of Tcheromkova.

Trygve R. Hansen, United States vice consul at Omsk, and Joseph H. Ray, consul at Irkutsk, have safely passed Taiga, 47 miles southwest of Tomsk, together with Red Cross trains.

Fighting is in progress between the Poles and bolsheviki at Taiga.

"RED" PROPOGANDA IN TEXAS OIL FIELDS

Wichita Falls, Texas, December 26. Radicals are spreading "red" propaganda in the oil field camps in northwest Texas and are making an organized effort to create discontent among workmen, department of justice officials announced today.

Reports that radicals were planning an invasion of Waggoner City, fourteen miles northwest of here, last night caused heavy guards to be stationed about stores and in the outskirts of the town. Several persons were arrested.

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Wages and Working Conditions Will Be Considered. Officials Coming.

A big mass meeting of the Atlanta railway and express clerks and freight and station employees will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Red Men's Wigwam, when matters pertaining to the wages and working conditions of those now in the employ of railroads and express companies will be considered.

This is one of a number of conferences that will be held over the entire nation and more than 800,000 employees of the big transportation companies are affected.

A number of the officials of the brotherhoods will be present and addresses will be made by many of them. John W. Nelson, grand vice president of the clerks' union in the southeast, will be present and will deliver the principal address of the day.

All the railroad express clerks and other railroad employees interested in the meeting are invited to be present, and a meeting of great enthusiasm is expected.

Precluded.

(From The Columbus Dispatch.)

A new form of rent profiteer was discovered Friday when a Columbus woman walked into the office of a certain real estate dealer in search of a house. "Houses are certainly scarce," she remarked. "I knew one lady who was going to move, but when I asked her to let me know the exact date she intended moving, she said she couldn't. Another woman had given her $5 to tell her when she was going."

Wood Alcohol Theory Advanced as Cause Of John Lee's Death

Following the mysterious death of John Marcus Lee, 44 years of age, of 30 Augusta avenue, which occurred last night about 7:30 o'clock, detectives are working on the theory that Lee died of poisoning, possibly by wood alcohol.

According to a negro cabman, he found Lee in an unconscious condition near the residence at 5 West Fifth street shortly after 7 o'clock. The cabman says that he put the unconscious body in his cab, with the intentions of taking him to his home. The negro says that Lee's death occurred soon after he was placed in the cab.

Mr. Lee leaves his wife, Mrs. Nellie Lee, and a sister, Mrs. Tom Spratling. The body was taken to the parlors of A. O. & Roy Donehoo, pending further investigations into the cause of his death.

NO CHINESE ARMY FOR THE BOLSHEVIKI

Berne, Tuesday, December 23.—A young Chinese engineer, who has just arrived in Berne, discussing today the reported intention of Leon Trotzky, the Russian bolshevi minister of war, to recruit a Chinese army to carry ont bolshevik methods in Europe, declared such a step would be impossible.

He asserted that the bolsheviki might be getting some troops from China and some mercenary soldiers from Manchuria, who are adventurers and are being well paid by the bolsheviki, but said the statement that the bolshevikl were settling 8,000 men monthly from China was an obvious exaggeration.

The engineer declared also that it was untrue that there was a growing bolshevik movement in China. There were no bolsheviki in his country and only a few socialists. The only growing movement in China, he said, was the one against Japan, which had been started among the Chinese intellectuals and seemed to be spreading seriously.

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14	265	734	1039	1614	1955	2395	2695	3276
46	307	780	1050	1646	1975	2416	2705	3300
50	311	781	1077	1654	2012	2424	2822	3313
51	344	807	1204	1694	2071	2442	2834	3346
53	381	845	1313	1848	2075	2492	2881	3352
54	390	875	1366	1866	2098	2498	2882	3388
101	400	940	1377	1900	2158	2518	2918	3431
128	443	973	1399	1904	2194	2520	2984	3433
137	470	975	1464	1916	2221	2543	3054	3499
166	537	1006	1557	1923	2299	2571	3158	
190	676	1008	1558	1934	2345	2606	3175	
242	691	1034	1591	1946	2354	2667	3266	

These bonds must be presented for retirement on or before noon, January 1, 1920, at the office of the undersigned in the city of Atlanta, Ga., after which date all further interest on said bonds shall cease and other provisions of said mortgage respecting the same shall become effective.

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December 3, 1919.

Mr. Duck—Seems to me your voice is kinda husky this morning, Mr. Pelican.

Mr. Pelican—Well, you see, I went fishing earlier than usual and got a frog in my throat.—Cartoons Magazine.

LODGE NOTICE

The 72d annual communication of Atlanta lodge, No. 59, F. & A. M., will be held in the Masonic temple this (Saturday) evening, December 27, 1919, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Candidates for advancement will be examined. Annual reports will be read. Officers for the ensuing Masonic year will be elected and installed. The secretary will be present at about 6:30 p. m. All qualified brethren are invited to meet with us. JOHN M. JENKINS, W. M.
JOHN B. BRADFORD, Sec'y.

FUNERAL NOTICES

PARKER—Died at a private sanitarium, Wednesday, December 24, 1919, Sergeant Ray T. Parker, in the 24th year of his age. The remains were sent to New Orleans, La., via the A. & W. P. railway, Friday afternoon for funeral and interment by H. M. Patterson & Son.

SPEARMAN—Mrs. Frances Harper Spearman died Friday evening at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Stubbs; two sons, Mr. G. S. Spearman, Mr. R. S. Spearman; two daughters, Miss Frances G. Spearman and Mrs. Stubbs. Funeral and interment will be announced later. Harry G. Poole, funeral director.

LONG—The friends and relatives of Mr. Frank Long, U. C. V.; Mr. George S. Long and Mrs. Theda White, both of Cairo, Ga., are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Frank Long today (Saturday), December 27, 1919, at 10 a. m., from the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son. The Rev. A. R. Holderby will officiate. The interment will be at West View cemetery. All United Confederate Veterans especially invited.

RAAB—The friends and relatives of Mrs. Katherine Raab, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Raab and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mabry and family are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Katherine Raab today (Saturday), December 27, 1919, at 2:30 p. m., from the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son. The Rev. J. Sprole Lyons will officiate. The interment will be at Oakland cemetery. The following gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the chapel at 2:15 o'clock: Mr. A. Findley, Mr. J. R. Morrow, Mr. E. E. Mulkey, Mr. J. T. Elder, Mr. G. P. Dozier and Mr. John S. Lane.

HARRIS—The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Vaughan, of Delworth, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harris, Mr. Otis Harris, Mr. Walter Harris, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Harris, of Alabama City, Ala., Mrs. Phenia Cornett, Mrs. Lola Miller and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harris, of Birmingham, Ala., are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. John Harris tomorrow (Sunday), December 28, 1919, at 1 p. m., from the residence, 160 West Fourteenth street. The Rev. J. R. Anderson will officiate. The interment will be at Sardis cemetery. H. M. Patterson & Son in charge.

BYNUM—Mr. L. H. Bynum died Friday, December 26, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Payton, of Woodstock, Ga. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. E. G. Lewis, Mrs. B. F. Gardner, of Atlanta, and Mrs. E. C. Payton, of Woodstock, Ga., and several grandchildren, Mrs. W. T. Lewis, Mrs. A. E. Kelly, Mr. E. L. Gardner, Mrs. W. A. Fincher, Miss Janie Lewis and Miss Katherine Lewis, all of Atlanta. The funeral services will be held today (Saturday), December 27, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Payton, at Woodstock, Ga. The remains will arrive at the Union station at 10:15 Sunday morning. Interment will be at West View cemetery. Barclay & Brandon, in charge.

KREIS—The friends of Miss Dorothy G. Kreis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kreis, Sr., Mr. Joseph W. Kreis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kreis, Mrs. E. K. Boggan and family, Mrs. Pauline Kinnear and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Haney and Mrs. Julia Schwitzlet are invited to attend the funeral of Miss Dorothy G. Kreis this (Saturday) morning at 10:30 o'clock from the residence, 655 South Pryor street. Rev. J. E. Hemphill will officiate. Interment in West View. The following gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the residence at 10:15 a. m.: Mr. Burt F. Tull, Mr. J. W. Shelton, Mr. J. B. Johnson, Mr. Willie F. Beck, Mr. Robert S. Calhoun and Mr. A. J. Warner. Harry G. Poole, funeral director.

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